THE WEATHER

Fair and colder tonight; Friday fair and continued cold; west to northwest winds.

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State Takes Hand in Gas Nuisance Here

Sec. Davis Booed at Convention

Senate Leaders Summoned to White House

TO ANNOUNCE CAUSE OF OBNOXIOUS GASES AT LOCAL SCHOOL

Samples of Gas-laden Air to Be Subjected to Analysis By Department of Public Health—Observations of Chief Chemist Weston

(Special to The Sun.)

BOSTON, Jan. 31. Within a few days the expert analysts of the state department of public health expect to be able to announce exactly the cause of the gases which have become so obnoxious at the Cabot street school in Lowell, and in and about various buildings in that vicinity.

Samples of the gas-laden air have been taken by Arthur R. G. Booth of Lowell, one of the experts in the department, and are to be subjected to analysis in a machine owned by the department which will disclose the various factors entering into the samples examined. The machine, incidentally, is the only one of its kind in the eastern section of the country.

Four samples have been taken by Mr. Booth. One was taken from street manholes near the school; another from the coal pocket within the school buildings; a third from the A. & P. store a short distance away from the school, where the odor has been most objectionable, and a fourth from the purifying room at the gas works.

By comparing the first three samples with the fourth, it will be possible for the experts to determine whether the odors arise from illuminating gas, or from the gases

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HOWLS AND BOOES GREET SEC. DAVIS WHEN INTRODUCED BY PRES. LEWIS AT MINERS' MEETING

SCHOOL BOARD TO DENY REQUEST FOR SALARY INCREASES

Growing Belief That Petitioners Will Be Given Leave to Withdraw—Sub-Committee Will Report to Full Board Tomorrow Evening

The rumor continues to gain momentum in municipal circles that the school committee will turn down all requests for salary and wage increases presented to it by teachers and janitors this year. Economic conditions and the state of city finances are freely being discussed and while no member of the board has publically stated his stand on the matter, it is a growing belief that when it comes to a show-down the petitioners will be given leave to withdraw.

The main reason being advanced in an effort to substantiate the rumor that no increases will be granted is that present conditions, coupled with the size of the school department's appropriation based upon salaries as established at present, will not justify any further upward revisions at the present time.

Although the sub-committee of the school board appointed to submit recommendations in relation to salary schedules for teachers and janitors met in a three-hour conference yesterday afternoon, the question at issue was no nearer solution than before the meeting was held.

In other words, the problem is one of great detail and has so many phases which must be taken into consideration that the committee hardly probed beneath the surface. Another meeting will be held tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock and before it adjourns some sort of a report must be approved for presentation to the full committee tomorrow evening.

No member of the sub-committee, composed of Mrs. Alice F. D. Pearson, James H. Riley and Franklin H. Johnson, cared to comment today on what might constitute the report. "I do not care to anticipate what the committee will do," was the statement made by each in reply to queries.

SPECIAL MEETING OF COUNCIL TOMORROW EVENING

No Action Expected on Mayor's Nominations—Meeting Called for Purpose of Drawing Another Venire of Jurors——City Hall News

No action upon nominations by the mayor is expected at the second special city council meeting of the current week to be held tomorrow night at 8.30 o'clock. The meeting is called for the purpose of drawing another venire of jurors and Pres. James J. Gallagher will make an attempt to take up routine business as well. There is a considerable grist of routine matters waiting for action and it is the president's belief they should be cleared up and thus shorten the regular meeting on February 5.

Prior to the council meeting there will be meetings of the finance committee and the committee on public property. The latter will discuss the proposition to reconstruct the old Durkee house along lines suggested by four associated architects, who have drawn up plans and estimates of cost.

Debt and Interest Charges

City debt payments this year will amount to $429,420, against $500,770 in 1923, according to a schedule prepared by City Auditor Daniel E. Martin. In-

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IMPERIAL DIET IS DISSOLVED

Scenes of Greatest Disorder in Which Flasks Were Thrown and Fists Used

Disturbance Resulted During Discussion of Attempt to Wreck Train at Nagoya

TOKIO, Jan. 31.—(By The Associated Press) The imperial diet was dissolved today after scenes of the greatest disorder, in which water flasks were thrown and fists used. The disturbance resulted from attempts of the opposition to interpellate the government regarding the attempted wrecking of a train at Nagoya, carrying opposition leaders to Tokio.

The turbulent scenes which occurred in the lower house made further business impossible. The outburst came shortly after the representatives had

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WILD SCENES AT INDIANAPOLIS

Lewis Demands Respectful Hearing for "Member of the President's Cabinet"

Declares Honor of Organization at Stake—Members on Trial Before the Country

Calls for Those Unwilling to Hear Speaker to Leave Hall—Prolonged Applause

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Jan. 31.—By the Associated Press—Howls and boos greeted James J. Davis, secretary of labor when he was introduced by John L. Lewis to the biennial convention of the United Mine Workers of America here today. Lewis had asked for a re-

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REBEL LOSSES TOTAL 1880

1300 Captured, 400 Killed and 180 Wounded in Fall of Esperanza

Federals Also Seize 1500 Rifles, 14 Machine Guns and 3 Pieces of Artillery

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 31. (By radio, via Fort Worth Star Telegram.) (By the Associated Press.)—Total rebel losses during engagements resulting in federal capture of Esperanza and Boca Monte were 1880, according to official reports to the war department by General Martinez. The number includes 1300 prisoners, 400 dead and 180 wounded. War material captured includes 1500 rifles, 14 machine guns

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NEXT TO SELLING BAD RUM IS THE SELLING OF BAD FOOD

Judge Pickman Flashes Short But Firm Truths in District Court—Has No Sympathy for the Dealer Who Sells Inferior Goods

Judge John J. Pickman presided at this morning's session of the district court. In imposing a $20 fine on Philip Schnider for two violations of the pure food laws, he said that next to selling bad rum, there is nothing more injurious than selling bad food. Schnider is alleged to have disposed of a quantity of adulterated sausages. "I have absolutely no sympathy for a wholesaler or retailer selling inferior goods," said the judge. "A man deceives his

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PRES. COOLIDGE CONFERS WITH SENATE LEADERS ON OIL LEASES

Both Democratic and Republican Leaders Summoned to White House—Author of Annulment Resolution Called—Doctors Examine Fall

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31. — Both democratic and republican leaders of the senate were consulted by President Coolidge today just before the debate on the Walsh oil lease annulment resolution was resumed.

After the ranking senators in the republican senate organization had paid an early call at the White House, the president summoned Senator Walsh, democrat, Montana, who has had a dominant part in the oil inquiry, and Senator Robinson of Arkansas, the democratic floor leader and author of the resolution calling for the resignation of Secretary Denby.

White House officials said the

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THE AUTOMOBILE SHOW

This is "Governor's Day" at Lowell's Big Auto Exhibit in Auditorium

Lieutenant-Governor Fuller Will Represent Governor Cox Here This Evening

No Lowell automobile show, of course, would be quite de trop without superior inspection by a capable representative of the commonwealth of Massachusetts' official family. When you can't get a governor, a lieutenant-governor fills the bill admirably.

Tonight from Beacon Hill comes the Hon. Alvin T. Fuller, lieutenant-governor of Massachusetts by choice of the people but only an automobile bus-

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FIRE IN UNIVERSITY, NINE STUDENTS HURT

SPRINGFIELD, O., Jan. 31.—Nine students were injured, two probably fatally in escaping from a dormitory during a fire at Wilber Force University, near Xenia this morning. The fire is said to have been of incendiary origin.

CLAIMS THAT BUILDINGS CONSTITUTE NUISANCE

Frederic S. Harvey, sitting as auditor at the Gorham street courthouse this morning heard evidence in the dispute between Evareste Monbleau against Louis Marion et al, referred to him for final decision by the superior court. The plaintiff, who is represented by Frank Goldman as attorney, owns a lot of land on the northeast side of Rosemont street and property of the defendants abuts on the south.

Plaintiff claims that buildings erected by the defendants on their property project onto his property and so constitute a nuisance. Hamel and Gerson, attorneys for the defendants, make a general denial.

Master's Session Tomorrow

Failing to complete the hearing yesterday Mr. Harvey will again tomorrow sit as master in the action of D. A. Sakelarios and Antigone P. Genarts. This hearing is on a bill in equity brought by the former for an accounting and praying that the defendant be ordered to discharge, upon payment of such sums as may be decided are due, on mortgages on real estate owned by the plaintiff.

In this matter there is also involved a civil suit brought by Mr. Genarts who would recover about $6000 on a series of promissory notes running from 1912. The master's report in this case is to be made to the superior court. H. B. Ross of Boston is attorney for Mr. Sakelarios while Qua, Howard & Rogers, by Albert S. Howard, represent Mr. Genarts.

Four Courts to Sit

With this hearing on tomorrow at the courthouse it will make four separate sessions scheduled for various parts of the Gorham street building tomorrow. Two probate court judges will hold sessions and in addition U. S. Commissioner Richard B. Walsh is to take up the Salisbury beach rum-running cases of a week ago.

On Saturday the Tryon knitter case, involving charges against Edward R. Tryon, Harry P. Doherty, Fred Leary and W. C. Gray who are alleged by the postoffice department to have used the mails fraudulently, will come up before Commissioner Walsh.

LODGE ADMITS DENBY DID WRONG BUT OPPOSES MOVE TO OUST HIM

Attempt to Attach Resolution Calling for Denby's Resignation to Walsh Annulment Resolution Will Be Fought by Bay State Senator

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31. A move to attach the Robinson resolution calling for the resignation of Secretary Denby to the Walsh oil lease annulment measure was taken today, immediately after the senate convened. The amendment was sponsored by Senator Trammell, democrat, Florida.

Immediate opposition was voiced by Senator Lodge of Massachusetts, the republican leader who declared he would "resist very strongly" such a declaration by congress. There was only one way by which the legislative branch could remove a cabinet officer, he said, and that was by impeachment.

Senator Lodge described the Trammell proposal as "an attempt to force the hands of the president in the exercise of a discretion which is his alone." He agreed that Secretary Denby should have resisted the effort made to influence him to agree to transfer of oil reserves to the interior department, and continued:

"I do not approve of the public statement which the secretary of the navy made the day before yesterday. There is no evidence yet in the hearings or elsewhere, however, which demonstrates or shows in any way that he (Secretary Denby) is other than an honest man, however mistaken and however wrong he was. There is no proof that would stand a moment in any court, that he was guilty of anything more than very mistaken judgment—lack of competency, if you choose to call it so."

NEW STREET RAILWAY WAITING ROOM

A larger and more conveniently located waiting room for street railway passengers will be opened in the near future in the store formerly occupied by the Royal Bakers in the Grosvenor block, and which is now being remodelled for its new occupants.

A chain candy store firm owned by a Mr. McWright of Providence, R. I., will occupy this store as soon as it is remodelled and an agreement has already been entered into between Mr. McWright and the street railroad company for the use of the store as a waiting room.

The store is centrally located and when completed will have entrances on Merrimack street and on the alley leading from the rear of the store to Paige street. This latter feature will be of especial benefit to patrons of the street railway company who live in the Centralville district as it will afford direct exit to Paige street from where the Centralville cars are despatched.

At the present time a temporary waiting room is located in Gallagher's candy store, which is several doors above the new waiting room.

It is believed that the new waiting room will be ready for occupancy within a few months. With its completion street railway officials believe the waiting room problem in this city, which has been a subject of controversy for many months will be permanently solved.

THE ALUMNI FIELD FUND

Principal Harris Gets $100 Check From New York—High School News

Bernard C. Maguire, of New York city, has mailed a check for $100 to Principal Henry H. Harris of the Lowell high school for addition to the Alumni field fund.

School will be dismissed at 12.20 on Monday, Feb. 2, as a convenience to those of the pupils who wish to attend the matinee performance of "The Boomerang," at the Lowell Opera House. The sale of tickets at the school for the show will stop at recess on Monday, and the tickets that are left will be transferred to the box office of the Lowell Opera House, where the public may secure them easily before the show starts. There are still many good seats left for the matinee, although it is expected that they will not last long after they are put on sale at the theatre.

Harold D. Tucker, in charge of the Winter Carnival entries from the sport club at high school has issued a request that all students who desire to participate in the various events on Feb. 6 and 7 shall so signify before the end of this week.

N. Y. AND BOSTON CLEARINGS

NEW YORK, Jan. 31 Exchanges, $815,000,000, balances, $77,000,000.

BOSTON, Jan. 31 Exchanges, $67,000,000, balances, $24,000,000.

MEMBER FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

Tomorrow

INTEREST

Begins on Savings Accounts

Middlesex National Bank

Under Supervision of the United States Government

Merrimack cor. Palmer

NO SUCH THING AS WINTER CARNIVAL WITHOUT SNOW

All that is needed to make a success of the second annual winter carnival here is snow, and plenty of it, before next Wednesday. Wednesday and Thursday of next week have been set as the tentative carnival dates and unless we have a good snowfall before that time there is not the slightest prospect of the carnival then taking place. Postponements to tentative dates will follow indefinitely until Mother Earth is given an ermine mantle.

The discussion last night of the joint carnival committee, at which plans for carnival sports events were made, was featured by weather conditions that tended to swerve one's mind more to baseball than hockey. It was truly "Babe" Ruth weather. While the discussion for one part of the evening was about dog teams the atmospheric condition would have made talk of dog days seemingly more apropos.

INFANTILE PARALYSIS CLINIC YESTERDAY

The second of four infantile paralysis clinics being conducted under the direction of the Lowell board of health at the rooms of the Lowell Guild in Dutton street was held all day yesterday. Seventeen children were examined by a representative of the Harvard Infantile Paralysis commission.

The next clinic will be held on February 6 and the fourth and last on Feb. 20.

Woodrow Wilson has been ill for two days but physicians say his present indisposition has nothing to do with Mr. Wilson's former grave condition and declares he does not consider his present illness serious.

Basketball and Dance

TONIGHT—7.45 O'CLOCK

St. Anne's Parish Hall

Two Games

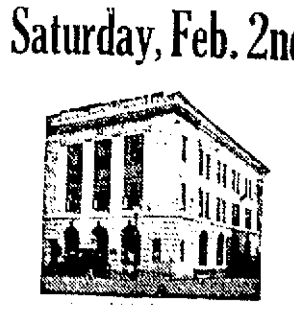
Preliminary—Unity A.C. vs. Y.M. H.A. Juniors. Main—St. Anne's A.C. vs. American Glue Co.

Boston City Champs.

Admission 35c. Preliminary at 7.45

LOWELL INSTITUTION FOR SAVINGS 1829–1924 INTEREST BEGINS FEBRUARY 2 18 SHATTUCK ST.

Interest Begins Saturday, Feb. 2nd



MERRIMACK RIVER SAVINGS BANK

228 Central St.

LARGE YELLOW DOG lost, short haired. Collar has no name on it. Phone 3487-J.

LOWELL'S LATEST CLUB IS THE PAINT AND POT

The Paint and Pot club had its inception last night at the home of Merton Rodger on Florence avenue when several young men of Lowell who are interested in art assembled there to organize as an association for the production and study of fine arts.

The charter members include students and graduates of The Students Art league of New York, New School of Design, Boston Normal Art school, Boston Museum of Fine Arts. They are: Francis J. Durant, William C. Plante, Gerald R. McCann, Joseph Perreault, John J. Drumin, William P. Lester, Merton L. Rodger, George H. Keefe, Thomas J. Salmon, William Taylor, Everett Taylor and Howard Lewis.

Mr. Durant was elected temporary chairman, and called the meeting to order. The business of the meeting was to choose a name for the organization and to draw up a constitution.

It was unanimously voted to volunteer the services of the club to the Winter Carnival committee to design posters or in any other way that they may be of service. Their offer was accepted by Mr. Wood for the carnival committee.

Sun classified ads bring results.

To Announce Cause of Gases at Local School

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thrown off from the trunk sewer which passes close to the corner of the school building.

Arthur D. Weston, chief chemist of the department, who visited Lowell and looked over the situation, is of the opinion that two distinct kinds of gas are involved, and that two separate causes must be found. This opinion he bases upon his observation that the gases smelled in the Cabot school are not the same as those smelled at manholes in the street. The former, he is certain, is illuminating gas; the others, he is equally convinced, are the gases which naturally arise from a sewer, but which in this instance may be stronger than usual because of the presence of waste from the gas works.

Should his deductions be proven correct, it will be necessary to find a gas leak somewhere in the immediate vicinity of the Cabot school. That will remedy the trouble so far as that particular smell is concerned.

For the other, he suggests three possible remedies. One is the construction of another sewer, to carry wastes from the gas works direct to the river, an expensive undertaking. Another is treatment of the sewage with chlorine, or some other deodorant which will remove its offensive qualities. The third is to "plug up" the places through which the gases now escape from the sewer.

In connection with the last remedy, he points out that in the vicinity of the store, above referred to, there are several old pipes which formerly used for entering the trunk sewer, but which are no longer in use. They have been permitted to remain, however, and to all intents and purposes serve merely as a vent for the sewer. Mr. Weston suggests that the ground about the end of these pipes should be filled in solidly, or the pipes removed entirely and their entrance to the sewer plugged.

HOYT.

THE SHOP OF THE UNUSUAL

When looking for something unusual in the way of a gift or a prize for your bridge party, or a birthday gift—come to the fascinating little shop on the third floor. Let us help you.

The Gift Shop

The Bon Marché DRY GOODS CO

THEODORE HAVILAND CHINA

Two charming patterns in open stock from one of the best French potteries may be had in Tea Sets, Cake Sets, as well as small and large Dinner Sets.

China Shop—Third Floor

Beautiful Coats with Collars and Cuffs of Fur

$72.50

$98.50

CANADIAN BEAVER

TAUPE FOX

$79.50

$125.00

PLATINUM WOLF

VIATKA SQUIRREL

These are truly beautiful garments, made of the most desirable of this season's fabrics—Gerona, Lustrosa, Velmara, Arabella. Exceptionally warm because they are double interlined. The woman or miss whose most ardent desire is to possess a coat of elegance, fabric luxury and highest type fashion will enjoy selecting it from our wide assortment—especially now with our January Clearance Sale in mind.

A Representative *from* PRIMROSE HOUSE (NEW YORK)

An expert qualified to give advice on the treatment and care of the skin is here to help you solve your individual beauty problems. These problems are not exactly the same for any two women, that is why they should have personal attention. It is the Primrose House ideal to help every woman bring out the best in herself.

Come and consult the Primrose House Representative at

The Toilet Goods Section

Friday Afternoon **Saturday All Day**

We are exclusive Lowell agents for Primrose Toilet Requisites. Here you will find complete stocks at all times.

Exclusive Dresses

That more exclusive dress fashions come from this store is quite generally agreed among women who are in a position to know. Therefore, when we offer dresses reduced

25% 35% 45%

it is indeed interesting and worthy of your attention.

CHARMEEN POIRET TWILLS
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$14.95 $17.75 $25
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Fur Trimmed Coats

Beaver—Fox—Squirrel Collars

$59.50

Formerly sold for

$79.50, $89.50, $98.50, $110

Lustrosa Coats

With Beaver Collars

$47.50

Sizes 16 to 40. Genuine Lustrosa with large collars of selected Beaver.

STUNNING NEW

Hats

Arrive daily in our Millinery Shop—second floor.

DRESSY HATS
TAILORED HATS
SPORT HATS
BOBBED HAIR HATS
MATRONS' HATS

Priced far less than you would expect for millinery so smart, so chic, so new, and so charmingly different.

$5.00 and Upwards

Special Sale of Straw Braid—10-yard pieces. Friday and Saturday ..... **$1.50 for 10 Yards**

GLOVES

FIVE PARTICULARLY GOOD GLOVE SPECIALS

Strap Wrist Chamois Suede, in light grey and mode....59c

Strap Wrist Chamois Suede, in mode and beaver $1.00

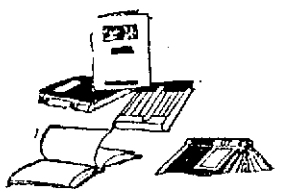
Strap Wrist White Kid Gloves, with fancy embroidered backs $1.00

Children's Wool Gloves, gauntlet style 89c

Children's Mittens 25c

Street Floor

BOOKS



BUY ONE BOOK EACH MONTH

Friday, February 1, is a good day to keep that resolution to buy and read one good book each month.

SUGGESTIONS

The World Crisis, Winston Churchill $6.50

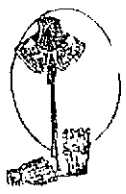
Joseph Conrad's Books (Concord edition) $2.50

Scientific Checkers, Newell W. Banks $1.50

Boudoir Mirrors of Washington, Anonymous $2.50

Books Corner—Street Floor

NECKWEAR



Lace Collar and Cuffs, Peter Pan and Brandegh $1.00

Georgette Ruffling, all colors, Yard ..... $1.00 and $1.98

Women's All Linen Handkerchiefs 17c

Women's Embroidered Linen Handkerchiefs, plain linen with 1/16-inch hem 25c

Women's Madeira Handkerchiefs 50c, $1.00, $1.50

Men's Fine Linen Handkerchefs, 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.50

Street Floor

TRIMMINGS

Dress Ornaments, all colored embroidery ..... 25c to $1.98

Embroidered Bands, for restings and trimmings, $1.50 to $5.98

Braid Girdles, black, brown, blue, grey ..... $1.50 to $3.98 Each

Lace Flouncings, $1.98 to $4.98 Yard

Ecru Valenciennes Lace, 5c, 6c, 8c, 10c Yard

Street Floor

RIBBONS

New Metallic Banding Ribbon, to be used for dress banding, and collar and cuffs to match, all new shades. Special price, $1.19 Yard

Pink, Light Blue and White Bonnet Bands, made of good quality satin .....50c Pair

New French Flowers, in all new shades, for dress trimmings, lamp shades, millinery and all kinds of novelties, 12c to 35c Each

Best Quality Gold and Silver Hair Bands, for afternoon and evening wear ..... 89c Each

Queen Quality REG US PAT OFF. T & P CO. SHOES

A perfect fit is pre-eminent in these shoes. Select any pattern, slip into a pair and see how they "fit where others fail."

This perfect fit means lasting shapeliness and longer wear. It is a definite assurance of better style, better value and complete satisfaction. Priced

$5.00 to $8.50

Shoe Shop Street Floor

DAWES COMMITTEE TO HEAR HUGO STINNES

BERLIN, Jan. 31—(By the Associated Press.) The scene of the inquiry into German finances shifted to the capital of the Reich today as the first committee of experts, headed by Brig.-General Charles G. Dawes settled down for perhaps two weeks of work on Germany's budget and currency problems.

Assurances of the complete co-operation not only of the government but also of financiers and banks, it appeared, would make the experts' task chiefly that of formulating their conclusions from the vast amount of data which will be laid before them.

Many prominent industrialists, financiers and transportation magnates have signified their willingness to give the committee all facts and figures at their disposal.

Hugo Stinnes and several leading bankers are among those who indirectly have agreed to offer testimony.

PROBE ODD LOT COTTON BROKERAGE BUSINESS

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Edward E. Bartlett, Jr., president of the New York Cotton exchange and Louis Brooks, chairman of the Business Conduct committee of the same exchange, were among the first witnesses summoned to appear today at the opening of the public inquiry by Deputy Attorney General Wilbur W. Chambers into the activities of odd lot cotton exchanges and brokers.

Mr. Chambers said it was planned to call officials of the Odd Lot Exchange, the National Cotton and Grain exchange and the Federal Cotton exchange, the three odd lot exchanges operating in New York. While the New York Cotton exchange does not do business in odd lots, virtually all purchases and sales of actual cotton in New York are made through it, Mr. Chambers asserted.

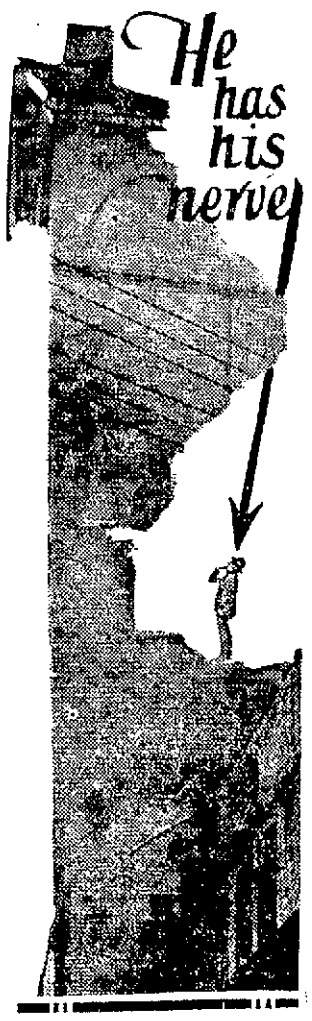
"Victims of a number of odd lot cotton firms which failed during the past few months lost millions of dollars," said Mr. Chambers. "So many complaints have been received that a searching investigation must be made into the odd lot cotton brokerage business."

WILSON'S CONDITION IS NOT SERIOUS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—Woodrow Wilson has suffered a digestive disorder during the past few days, but it is yielding to treatment and his physicians do not regard his condition as serious.

His daily automobile rides have been dispensed with for the present as a result of the attack, but he is able to be out of bed most of the time and to attend to his mail and other affairs as usual.

Dr. Cary T. Grayson, the former president's physician said today that he regarded the progress made as satisfactory, in view of the general condition of the patient.



HELD BY ONLY TWO BRICKS

Fire, which destroyed a Lansing (Mich.) factory left. Great piece of wall hanging in the air. The supporting bit of wall was only two bricks across at the narrowest point.

TO CANONIZE LENINE AS BOLSHEVIK SAINT

MOSCOW, Jan. 31.—(By the Associated Press)—A movement to canonize the late Nikolai Lenine as a Bolshevik saint is gaining strength.

As a further tribute to the dead premier the newspaper Laboring Moscow, the organ of the communist party in this city, proposes changing the name of that organization to the Lenine Bolshevik party. At the same time the newspaper prints seven commandments which it suggests as a creed for the Leninites. The first is:

"Before leaving us, Comrade Lenine, you ordered us to hold high and keep clean the great calling of a member of this party. We swear to you, Comrade Lenine, that we will fulfill your commandment with honor."

The other articles of the creed, couched in the same language are as follows:

"To strengthen and maintain the party unity; to strengthen and maintain the dictatorship of the proletariate; to strengthen and maintain the union of workers and peace; to expand and fortify the union of soviet republics; to strengthen and improve the position of the red army; and to strengthen and expand the communist international."

INVESTIGATORS REPORT ON LOSS OF DIXMUDE

PARIS, Jan. 31.—The report of the commission which investigated the loss of the dirigible Dixmude finds that the principal cause contributing to the craft's destruction "was its employment during the winter season when few sheds or refuges were available and when any reliable weather forecast for her return was impossible."

The document concluded by observing that "in the presence of higher orders governing the program of training and flights of the Dixmude," the inquiry into responsibility for the accident is beyond the competence of the commission.

It was this conclusion which led Minister of Marine Raiberti to appoint another commission which is to determine whether higher officials shall be held responsible.

MANVILLE PAYS TRIBUTE TO EXPLOSION VICTIMS

PAWTUCKET, R. I., Jan. 31.—Mills and stores were closed and business generally suspended in Manville while funeral services were being held today in St. James' church for Mr. and Mrs. Adelard Hamel and their eleven children who lost their lives in the explosion of gas or dynamite on Monday. Only five bodies were taken from the church, the remaining eight will be entombed later today.

The Hamel family had resided in the village only a few weeks and were comparatively unknown, but over a thousand persons attended the funeral.

Attorney General Carpenter has ordered an investigation into the cause of the explosion. Town officials, the gas company and the Manville Jenckes Company are also making investigations.

HAVERHILL WAR VETERAN ENDS LIFE

HAVERHILL, Mass., Jan. 31.—Harold W. Moran, aged 21, World war veteran, living at 63 Orchard street, committed suicide by inhaling fas at his home today. He was found dead in bed by his mother, when she got up to prepare breakfast. Moran was despondent because of trouble with his wife. He was denied a divorce on the grounds of cruel and abusive treatment in the probate court at Salem yesterday. His wife Eva, is living in Brooklyn, N. Y., with their daughter Barbara.

DEATHS

DALLAIRE—Mrs. Anna Irene Dallaire, a well-known member of the League of Catholic Women and a resident of St. Michael's parish, died yesterday at the Lowell Corporation hospital. She is survived by her husband, Peter V. Dallaire, two daughters, Manola and Gertrude; six sons, Victor, Clement, Raymond, Wilbert, Arthur and Albert; her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth O'Donnell, of New Brunswick; six brothers, Joseph and Raymond of New Brunswick, Wilfred of Detroit, Mich., Frank and Edward of Seattle, Wash., and Harry O'Donnell of Quincy; three sisters, Mrs. John Hayes, and the Misses Mary an dFrances O'Donnell of Charlestown, and an aunt, Mrs. Louis Cross of this city. She was a member of the Holy Rosary sodality and the Charity guild of St. Michael's parish. The body was taken to her home, 126 West Sixth street by Undertaker Peter Savage Son.

HOLDEN—Rebecca Alice Holden died on Jan. 30 at Bowdoinham, Me. She is survived by her husband, John Holden of Bowdoinham, and one daughter, Mrs. L. E. Sucklas and two grandchildren of this city.

VALLERAND—Irene Vallerand, infant daughter of Euclide and of Alma (Simard) Vallerand died yesterday at the home of her parents, 10 Frye street, aged 11 days.

BOWMAN—Mrs. Catherine A. Bowman, widow of Wm. Bowman and for the past 37 years a resident of this city, died this morning at St. John's hospital. Deceased is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Blanch Davidson of Detroit, Mich.; one son, Frank R. Bowman of Hartford, Conn.; two sisters, Mrs. Harry Elliott of Hartford, Conn., Mrs. Anthony Johnson of Windsor Locks, Conn., and one brother, Thomas Farrell of East Boston. The body was taken to the funeral parlors of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

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FUNERALS

LEBEL—The funeral of Muriella Lebel, daughter of Thuribe and Cecile (Lebel) Lebel, took place yesterday afternoon from the home of her parents, 137 Pawtucket street. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery, under the direction of Funeral Director Joseph Albert.

GARDNER—Funeral services for Calvin Gardner were held at his home, 32 Robbins street, yesterday afternoon. Rev. William R. Tuthill, pastor of Eliot Union Congregational church, officiating. The bearers were John Mussen, John Perry, Robert S. Fulton and R. Kennedy. Burial was in the Edson cemetery, where Rev. Mr. Tuthill read the committal prayers. The arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Hiram C. Brown.

HUGHES—The funeral of Ella Hughes took place yesterday afternoon from the home of her parents, 15 Sidney street and was largely attended. The services were conducted by Rev. Alice Haire, pastor of the Lawrence Street Unitive Methodist church. There were many flowers. Burial took place in the Edson cemetery, where the committal service was read by Rev. Mrs. Haire. The arrangements were in charge of Undertaker William H. Saunders.

DINNERMAN—Mrs. Dina (Snitzer) Dinnerman, wife of Barney Dinnerman, died yesterday at her home, 33 Ware street, aged 51 years. She is survived by her husband and several children. The funeral took place yesterday afternoon from the home. The customary services were held at the home and burial was in the family lot in the Israel Brotherhood cemetery, Pelham, N. H., under the direction of Undertakers Ameree Archambault & Sons.

SHEA—The funeral of Mrs. Cordelia Shea took place this morning at 8 o'clock from the home of her daughter, Mrs. Margaret Ruess, 83 Lane street, and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends. The funeral high mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Thomas McDonough. The choir under the direction of Michael A. Johnson, who also presided at the organ, sang the Gregorian chant, the solos being sustained by Miss Frances Tighe and Daniel S. O'Brien. At the conclusion of the mass Rev. Fr. McDonough read the committal prayers for the dead. Mrs. Anna Holland, president of the James Garfield Relief Corps, also members of the Daughters of Pocahontas conducted services of their order at the home of deceased. There was a profusion of beautiful floral and many spiritual offerings. The bearers were: Messrs. James H. Shay, Daniel F. Shay, Thomas O'Hara, Frank O'Hara, J. Christian Ruess and Nick Halpin. Burial took place in the Wild Wood cemetery, Winchester, Mass. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons.

FUNERAL NOTICES

DALLAIRE—The funeral of Mrs. Anna Irene Dallaire will take place Friday morning from her late home, 126 West Sixth street, at 8 o'clock. High mass of requiem at St. Michael's church at 9 o'clock. Interment will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertaker Peter H. Savage in charge of funeral arrangements.

FOYE—Died January 29, at St. John's hospital, Mrs. Marcella M. (Roberts) Foye, beloved wife of Edward J. Foye. The funeral will take place Friday morning at 8 o'clock from the home of her mother, Mrs. John J. Poole, 1030 Central st. At 9 o'clock a mass of requiem will be celebrated at St. Peter's church. Burial will be in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. The funeral will be under the direction of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

TAYLOR—The funeral of Charles B. Taylor will take place Friday morning at 8.30 o'clock from his home, 27 Lagrange street. A funeral high mass will be celebrated at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. Burial will be in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. Funeral arrangements will be in charge of Charles H. Molloy's Sons.

COSTELLO—The funeral of Mrs. Catherine Costello will take place Friday morning at 8 o'clock from the funeral parlors of Charles H. Molloy's Sons. A funeral high mass will be celebrated at the Immaculate Conception church at 9 o'clock. Burial will be in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. Funeral arrangements will be in charge of Charles H. Molloy's Sons.

BOWMAN—Died January 31 at St. John's hospital, Mrs. Catherine A. Bowman, widow of William E. Bowman. The funeral will take place Saturday morning at 8 o'clock from the funeral parlors of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons. At 9 o'clock a mass of requiem will be celebrated at the Immaculate Conception church. Burial will be in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. The funeral will be under the direction of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

CARD OF THANKS

I, the undersigned, wish to express my sincere thanks and heartfelt appreciation to those who by their acts of kindness, expressions of sympathy, beautiful floral offerings and spiritual bouquets, helped to lighten the sorrow in the recent bereavement of my most beloved husband, Patrick H. Fallon. Signed

MRS. MARY FALLON, 9 Irving St.

CARD OF THANKS

The family of the late Mabel V. Wright wishes to thank the many friends who were so kind during her sickness and at the time of her death; especially her friends in the knitting department of Shaw Hosiery and all others who helped to lighten our burden in any way.

WRIGHT FAMILY.

CARD OF THANKS

The undersigned wishes to express her gratitude to all neighbors and friends for the many kindnesses extended during the illness and at the time of the death of her sister, Miss John Caffery. All those who sent floral and spiritual tributes, as well as those who extended words of sympathy and in other ways helped to lighten the burden of sorrow shall ever be remembered by me.

SARAH CAFFERY.

MASS NOTICE

LAMBERT—There will be an anniversary high mass at St. Louis' church Friday morning at 7 o'clock for the repose of the soul of Benjamin Lambert, who died Feb. 1, 1923. Requested by his brother and sisters.

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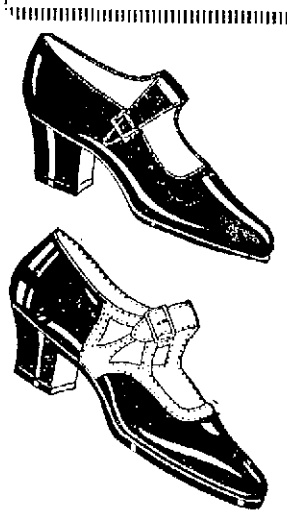

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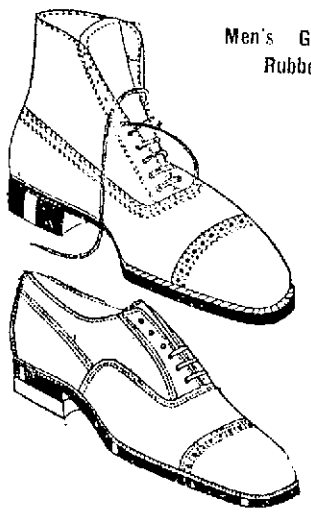

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WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

A surprise party was tendered Mr. and Mrs. Philip McLaughlin of 16 Keene street last night at the home of their daughter, Mrs. May Henry, 225 High street, on the occasion of their 40th wedding anniversary. About 12 members of the family were united for the occasion. Following a pleasant supper served by the hostess, Mr. and Mrs. McLaughlin were presented $40 in gold. They were also recipients of numerous cards and flowers during the day from their many friends. Mr. McLaughlin has been in the employ of the fire department for many years and is now switchboard man on the day shift at the Central fire station.

HONOR LEGION COMMANDER

HOLYOKE, Mass., Jan. 31.—John R. Quinn, national commander of the American Legion, arrived here today from Boston to be the guest of the Legion post, other veteran organizations and civic bodies. After luncheon he went to Northampton and inspected the partly completed completed hospital for disabled veterans being built by the federal government.

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"Babe" Ruth Guest and Speaker at One of Greatest Events in History of Alumni Association—Fine Program of Speakers and Entertainment

School days—golden, sacred and hallowed memories of a by-gone period when they were "a bunch of kids," figurative of what used to be, yet typical of what is today and prophetic of what can be tomorrow and always—were vividly and realistically exemplified at the 16th annual reunion and banquet of St. Patrick's School Alumni association last night.

Staid old grads, veterans of ancient campaigns with the curriculum of the famous Xaverian institution in Suffolk street mingled with the products of a younger generation of loyal and true alumni during the progress of the most successful reunion yet sponsored by the sons of St. Patrick. Young and old, to the number of 300, were there. Familiar faces, now prominent in the ecclesiastical, business, political and social life of the city, reserved this one night of the year to exchange handshakes, to reminisce on the good old days and to participate in a general and genuine renewal of acquaintances "for the sake of auld lang syne."

There was nobody late for school last night, and if there were any truants they may rest assured that they missed one of the greatest lessons of their lives. An excellent array of speakers, including the special guest of honor, George Herman "Babe" Ruth, the "king of swat" and the idol of America's baseball fandom; Rev. John J. McGarry, D.C.L., LL.D., pastor of St. Patrick's church; Rev. Augustine F. Hickey, S.T.L., diocesan supervisor of schools; Rev. Bro. Peter, C.F.X., a Lowell boy and now prefect of studies at St. John's Prep. in Danvers; Rev. Bro. Clarence, C.F.X., present superior of St. Patrick's; Jeremiah J. O'Sullivan; John J. Monahan, one of the four survivors of the first graduating class and Umpire Eugene "Bob" Hart every one of them conveying worth-while messages of continued devotion, service and loyalty to alma mater.

There was plenty of entertainment too. The Honey Boy quartet, composed of Ed. "Tip" Handley, James Lyons, Joe Coutu and Jack Gleason opened the musical festivities with the appropriate selection: "That Old Gang of Mine." Then there were solo contributions by Fred Cummings, James

EUGENE A. FITZGERALD
Toastmaster

Deignan, Thomas Delmore and Eddie Donehue, beside a pleasing group of numbers by the alumni orchestra consisting of William Paul McCarthy, Frank J. Deignan, James H. Buckley, Edward Looney, William Looney, Joseph Ginty, Thomas Hannafin, Timothy McCarthy and John J. Giblin.

General Reception

The reunion program called for a general reception from 6 to 7 o'clock. Assembling in the old school rooms in the upper portion of the building, the alumni talked and exchanged reminiscences until the banquet was announced. Marching in double formation to the banquet hall the members took their allotted places at the elaborately decorated tables. The hall itself was brilliant in its resplendency. Red, white and blue bunting hung from the posts and around the windows, while the stage area was attractively bedecked in American flags and streamers of purple and white. An artistic poster with the inscription, "Welcome, 1882 1924" was conspicuously hung over the center of the stage, rounding out an especially pleasing picture. At the head table on the stage were seated Rev. Thomas J. McCormack, Rev. William Dacey, Rev. Augustine Hickey, S.T.L., John J. Monahan, Eugene A. Fitzgerald, Rev. J. J. McGarry, D.C.L., "Babe" Ruth, Rev. James A. Supple, D.D., Rev. Bro. Peter, C.F.X., Rev. Joseph A. Curtin, Rev. Charles Perry, O.M.I., Jeremiah J. O'Sullivan and "Bob" Hart.

When the "Bambino" entered the hall attired in a nifty dark suit of evening dress with an artfully prepared bow tie, 6 feet of American athletic manhood towering above the gathering, the orchestra struck up the tune "Take Me Out to the Ball Game" and followed it up with "Hail, Hail, The Gang's All Here."

The "eats" were then distributed and the general merriment continued without "recess" until 11 o'clock. At the appointed time John J. Monahan, '86, chairman of the banquet committee and one of the school's first graduates, arose and extended a note of welcome. He spoke retrospectively of the school's opening away back in 1882 when the student body numbered about 400 and when the brothers lived in the same quarters in which they taught. "The school then and the school today are entirely different institutions," he said. "When I attended St. Patrick's we had four intensive years of study with a course better than that of the average high school. We had four solid years of English, mathematics, history, in short, we had a real school."

"My class started with 60 boys, but only six finished the course and were graduated. They were Thomas P. Keyes, Joseph B. Coughlin, John F. Saunders, Thomas B. Sullivan, who have passed away, Dr. John H. O'Connor of Hyde Park and myself."

Councillor Fitzgerald Toastmaster

Councillor Eugene A. Fitzgerald of the class of 1911, as toastmaster of the occasion, took charge of the meeting following Mr. Monahan's enlightening talk. After extending his heartfelt thanks to the committee for the enjoyable time provided he touched upon the traditions of the school and its contributions to church and society. "It is a wonderful thing to think," he added, "that this school has given about 25 young men to God's altar. What nobler or grander success can any school hope for?"

The toastmaster, in choice terms, proceeded to introduce Rev. Bro. Clarence, C.F.X., the popular superior of the present-day St. Patrick's, who spoke, in part, as follows: "I am here to give verbal expression to what you must already know, that you are welcome, very welcome back to St. Patrick's. We are proud and honored to have our reverend pastor here to preside at our reunion; his able assistants as well as some of the clergy who are members of our alumni, our reverend supervisor of schools who never fails to be on hand to deliver a message which is always inspiring; the religious who claim St. Patrick's as their alma mater; our honored guests among whom we are fortunate in having a national figure, the most famous athlete in the world of sport, the king of our national pastime, the idol of every red-blooded man and boy in this great land of ours. He is here tonight because he is one of ours, just as you are, and we are naturally proud of him, and he is glad to be here, because he, like you, is the product of a Xaverian brothers' school."

Pastor of St. Patrick's

The next speaker was Rev. Dr. McGarry, who expressed his gratification at the numbers present to show their loyalty to the old school that gave them, he said, their first start in education, and although not the palatial place he would like to have it, it would not mean the same to the alumni if its floors were marbled and its walls gilded. Dr. McGarry attributed the progress of the school to the unselfish work of the Christian brothers and appealed to the gathering to keep on loving it and to be interested in all its undertakings. "The boys now attending the school expect the association to be interested in it. You should give the boys a good time at least once a year. I'd pay for it myself if I thought I could fool them into thinking you did. They appreciate something like this, and my recommendation, therefore, is of a practical nature that you do something for the boys and derive for yourselves a measure of consolation."

Big Reception to "Babe" Ruth

To the accompaniment of vociferous applause, "Babe" Ruth was next introduced. From all appearances, the home-run artist is a champion social lion as well as a diamond celebrity. In characteristic vein, he said he had been present at 17 functions during the past week and was pretty well tired out. He spoke of his associations with Bros. Clarence, Herman, Peter and Aquinas at St. Mary's Industrial school in Baltimore, which he attended 22 years ago and where he learned the fundamentals of the national pastime of Bro. Herman, now stationed at St. Patrick's here. "I regret to say," said the Babe, "that I have succeeded in becoming a better player than Bro. Herman." I remember distinctly when Bro. Herman and I banged balls around the lot at St. Mary's. By the way, I never understood why they called that an industrial school. But anyway, 16 or 17 years ago, we played together. He showed me a lot of stuff, not only in baseball, but in football, too. O, yes, we used to play the rugby game. On a rocky field, too. I recall being knocked 'cold' in a scrimmage once."

Ruth then recounted several experiences at St. Mary's. He went there 23 years ago next month he said. Though it was hard at first, but he learned its value in later years. "I had my own ideas when I was a kid," he added, "I never smoked a cigaret until I was 19 years old. I went direct from school to baseball, joining the Baltimore club with Ben Egan and Ernie Shore. Our first jump was to North Carolina and I was at a loss to know how we would sleep on the train. I had never heard of a sleeping car."

The Babe, in concluding, gave some good advice, asking the men to encourage baseball among the younger talent and to give them an example of clean living. He was accorded a wonderful demonstration as he left the hall to keep another engagement with the Knights of Columbus. Outside the building his progress to his waiting automobile was barricaded with groups of kids anxious to get just one look at the man they had read so much about. As his machine sped away, youthful throats shouted an envious "Good-bye, Babe," and he was gone.

Diocesan School Supervisor

Rev. Fr. Hickey, always a welcome addition to St. Patrick's programs, was the first speaker after Ruth's departure. Apropos the latter, he said Babe Ruth was known from one end of the country to the other as a man "for reaching home." "More than a great athlete, he is evidently a real man and worthy of emulation," Fr. Hickey added. He proceeded with a scholarly discourse on the value of

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$30 ALL WOOL SUITS $17.50
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BOYS' OVERCOATS

$8.50 BOYS' ALL WOOL OVERCOATS—Sizes 4 to 10 Years—After Stock Taking Sale Price $5.95
$12.50 BOYS' ALL WOOL OVERCOATS—Sizes 6 to 18 Years—After Stock Taking Sale Price $7.50
$15 AND $18 BOYS' OVERCOATS—Sizes 10 to 18 Years—After Stock Taking Sale Price $9.95
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$12.50 BOYS' SHEEP LINED MOLESKIN COATS—Belt all around. Beaverized Collar. Sizes 8 to 20 years old $5.90

FUR COATS

$15 MEN'S SHEEP LINED COATS Sizes Up to $50. Now $9.50
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$8.50 BOYS' ALL WOOL SUITS—Full Lined Pants—Sizes 4 to 10 Years—After Stock Taking Sale Price $4.95
$10 BOYS' ALL WOOL SUITS—Sizes 8 to 17 Years—After Stock Taking Sale Price $6.75
$18 BOYS' 2-PANT ALL WOOL SUITS—After Stock Taking Sale Price $9.75
$20 BOYS' ALL WOOL CUSTOM TAILOR MADE SUITS—After Stock Taking Sale Price $12.50
$2.00 BOYS' CORDUROY KNICKER PANTS—After Stock Taking Sale Price 89c
$1.50 BOYS' ALL WOOL KHAKI FLANNEL BLOUSE WAISTS—After Stock Taking Sale Price 79c

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166 CENTRAL STREET

APPROVES CUT IN INCOME TAX

Sec. Mellon Favors Plan to Make Reductions Effective on 1923 Payments

Believes Step Would Entail No Difficulties on the Treasury

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—Secretary Mellon regards as practical and feasible the plan of republican members of the house ways and means committee to make the proposed income tax reductions effective on the 1923 payments which taxpayers will remit to the government beginning March 15. He believes the step would entail no difficulties on the treasury.

Further revision of the income tax rates was taken today by the republican members of the house ways and means committee after their break with the democrats during yesterday's consideration of the new revenue bill.

A reduction in the 1923 taxes, which are payable this year, was voted yesterday by the majority members and they decided to work out an income rate schedule of their own, according to Chairman Green, because of the refusal of the democrats to accept their offer to compromise and draft a non-partisan plan. The amount of the reduction may be as high as 25 per cent. Representative Garner, Texas, ranking democrat of the committee insisted, however, that the republicans had offered no concert compromise and therefore none had been refused.

Imperial Diet is Dissolved

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taken their seats upon the resumption of the diet session.

Interpellating the government in connection with the train wreck, in which three prominent opposition leaders escaped injury, although the locomotive of their train was damaged, the foes of Premier Kiyoura and his newly installed cabinet demanded that the premier reply personally.

Kiyoura, however, refused to rise.

Great disorder immediately ensued, amid which Kenjiro Komatsu, minister of communications and a member of the house of peers, attempted to reply to the interpellations. In the confusion, an agitator, not a member of the diet, rushed to the platform and thrust Komatsu aside. A riot followed. The legislators used water containers as missiles and several engaged in fist combats.

Hostilities continued until the speaker of the house hastily declared a temporary adjournment, which was followed by dissolution of the diet.

Six rallies were held in Tokio by the opposition today. The police, strengthened by the addition of an extra force, were maintaining a close watch over proceedings.

Viscount Takahashi, K. Inukui, leader of the former nationalist party, and Y. Osaki, former minister of justice, were the leaders on the train. They were en route from an opposition party rally at Osaka to Tokio for resumption of the sessions of the diet. They escaped uninjured, although the locomotive of their train was damaged by logs and stones piled on the tracks.

Rebel Losses Total 1880

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and three pieces of artillery. Eighty officers were among the prisoners.

In capturing Esperanza, the federals took an important rebel code which resulted in the interception of wireless messages between the rebel generals de la Huerta and Estranda and rebel agents in the United States. The nature of the messages was not made public.

The federals also took the pay car of General Maycotte's troops, which contained nearly 200,000 pesos.

Federal losses, according to official reports, total only 22 dead, including eleven officers and 262 wounded. Efficient use of artillery was responsible for the comparatively small number of casualties, General Martinez's report said.

General Martinez, accompanied by Secretary of War Serrano, arrived here last night and left immediately for Celaya, military headquarters of President Obregon, for a conference with cabinet members the chief executive has set for today.

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This season the weather has been extremely unnatural, and our stocks of winter merchandise are far too heavy. We must reduce them. With all the advertised mark-downs, — something drastic must be done. So, for FRIDAY and SATURDAY only, we will sell all our merchandise at

WHOLESALE PRICES

FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY ONLY

This means that for two days we will sell everything in our store at the price we paid for it, with the exception of Burberry Overcoats, Stetson Hats and Arrow Collars. We have never heard of such a sale, but we are going to reduce stock. Make out your list, get in early.

Wholesale Prices on Clothing

OVERCOATS

$25.00 OVERCOATS	$18.00
$30.00 OVERCOATS	$21.00
$35.00 OVERCOATS	$23.00
$40.00 OVERCOATS	$28.00
$45.00 OVERCOATS	$32.00
$50.00 OVERCOATS	$38.00

SUITS

$25.00 SUITS	$18.50
$30.00 SUITS	$21.50
$35.00 SUITS	$24.00
$40.00 SUITS	$28.00
$45.00 SUITS	$33.50
$50.00 SUITS	$38.50

MACKINAWS

$13.50 Mackinaws	$9.50
$16.50 Mackinaws	$11.50
$20.00 Mackinaws	$14.50

TUXEDO SUITS

ODD TROUSERS

$4.00 Pants	$3.00
$5.00 Pants	$3.75
$5.50 Pants	$4.00
$6.00 Pants	$4.50
$6.50 Pants	$4.75
$7.00 Pants	$5.25
$8.00 Pants	$6.25

BEACH JACKETS

$5.50 Beach Jackets	$4.25
$7.50 Beach Jackets	$5.75
$3.00 Beach Vests	$2.25

WOOL VESTS

$5.50 Wool Vests	$4.00
$7.50 Wool Vests	$5.25

At Wholesale Prices.

SHEEP LINED COATS

$12.50 Coats	$9.50
$15.00 Coats	$10.75
$18.00 Coats	$12.50
$22.50 Coats	$16.50

Wholesale Prices on Men's Furnishings

SHIRTS

$1.65 Shirts	$1.15
$2.00 Shirts	$1.38
$2.65 Shirts	$1.65
$3.00 Shirts	$2.13
$3.50 Shirts	$2.37
$4.00 Shirts	$2.75
$5.00 Shirts	$3.50
$6.00 Shirts	$4.50
$7.50 Shirts	$5.25
$8.50 Shirts	$6.00
$9.00 Shirts	$6.50

UNION SUITS

$1.50 Union Suits	$1.13
$2.00 Union Suits	$1.38
$2.75 Union Suits	$2.00
$3.00 Union Suits	$2.25
$3.50 Union Suits	$2.50
$4.00 Union Suits	$3.00
$5.00 Union Suits	$3.75
$6.00 Union Suits	$4.50
$7.00 Union Suits	$5.00
$7.50 Union Suits	$5.25

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MEN'S HOSIERY

25c Hose	19c
35c Hose	25c
40c Hose	30c
50c Hose	38c
65c Hose	47c
75c Hose	55c
85c Hose	62c
$1.00 Hose	75c
$1.25 Hose	90c
$1.50 Hose	$1.13
$2.00 Hose	$1.38

NECKWEAR

65c Neckwear	49c
75c Neckwear	50c
$1.00 Neckwear	69c
$1.50 Neckwear	$1.00
$2.00 Neckwear	$1.38
$2.50 Neckwear	$1.65
$3.00 Neckwear	$2.10
$3.50 Neckwear	$2.40

All styles and shapes included.

HATS

$3.50 Hats	$2.50
$4.00 Hats	$3.00
$5.00 Hats	$3.75
$6.00 Hats	$4.75
$7.00 Hats	$5.00
$8.00 Hats	$5.75
$9.00 Hats	$6.50
$10.00 Hats	$7.50
$12.00 Hats	$9.00

Soft, Velours, and Stiff Hats.

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75c Hose	55c
$1.00 Hose	75c
$1.50 Hose	$1.13
$1.65 Hose	$1.25
$1.85 Hose	$1.45
$2.00 Hose	$1.50
$2.25 Hose	$1.65
$2.50 Hose	$1.75
$3.00 Hose	$2.25

In Lisle, Silk and Wool or Silk.

FLANNEL SHIRTS

$2.00 Flannel Shirts	$1.50
$2.50 Flannel Shirts	$1.75
$3.00 Flannel Shirts	$2.25
$3.50 Flannel Shirts	$2.50
$4.00 Flannel Shirts	$3.00
$4.50 Flannel Shirts	$3.50
$5.00 Flannel Shirts	$3.75
$5.50 Flannel Shirts	$4.00

Khaki, Gray or Blue.

SWEATERS

$5.65 Sweaters	$4.25
$7.00 Sweaters	$5.00
$7.50 Sweaters	$5.50
$8.00 Sweaters	$5.75
$9.00 Sweaters	$6.50
$10.00 Sweaters	$7.50
$12.00 Sweaters	$9.00
$13.50 Sweaters	$9.75

Plain or Shaker Knit, Coat or Pullover.

PAJAMAS AND NIGHT SHIRTS

$1.50 Pajamas, Night Shirts,	$1.13
$2.00 Pajamas, Night Shirts,	$1.50
$2.50 Pajamas, Night Shirts,	$1.75
$3.00 Pajamas, Night Shirts,	$2.25
$3.50 Pajamas, Night Shirts,	$2.50
$4.00 Pajamas, Night Shirts,	$3.00
$5.00 Pajamas, Night Shirts,	$3.75
$7.50 Pajamas, Night Shirts,	$5.25

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CAPS

$1.50 Caps	$1.13
$1.65 Caps	$1.25
$2.00 Caps	$1.38
$2.50 Caps	$1.75
$5.00 Fur Caps	$3.50
$6.00 Fur Caps	$4.50
$7.00 Fur Caps	$5.00
$8.00 Fur Caps	$5.50
$9.00 Fur Caps	$6.50
$10.00 Fur Caps	$9.00

Wholesale Prices on Boys' Clothing

BOYS' OVERCOATS
3 to 8 Years

$8.50 Coats	$5.95
$10.00 Coats	$7.00
$12.00 Coats	$8.40
$15.00 Coats	$10.50
$18.00 Coats	$12.60

BOYS' OVERCOATS
10 to 18 Years

$15.00 Coats	$10.50
$18.00 Coats	$12.60
$20.00 Coats	$14.00
$25.00 Coats	$17.50

BOYS' SUITS
3 to 8 Years

$4.98 Suits	$3.47
$6.50 Suits	$4.55
$8.50 Suits	$5.95
$9.00 Suits	$6.30
$10.00 Suits	$7.00

BOYS' SUITS
2 Pants—10 to 18 Years

$10.00 Suits	$7.00
$12.00 Suits	$8.40
$15.00 Suits	$10.50
$18.00 Suits	$12.60
$20.00 Suits	$14.00
$25.00 Suits	$17.50

BOYS' SHEEP LINED COATS

$9.00 Coats	$6.30
$10.00 Coats	$7.00
$15.00 Coats	$10.50
$20.00 Coats	$14.00

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BOYS' MACKINAWS

$8.50 Mackinaws	$5.95
$10.50 Mackinaws	$7.35
$12.50 Mackinaws	$8.75
$15.00 Mackinaws	$10.50

CHILDREN'S HATS

$1.48 Hats	$1.04
$2.00 Hats	$1.40
$3.50 Hats	$2.45
$4.00 Hats	$2.80
$4.25 Hats	$2.98
$5.00 Hats	$3.50

GLOVES and MITTENS

69c Gloves and Mittens,	48c
98c Gloves and Mittens,	69c
$1.15 Gloves and Mittens,	80c
$1.25 Gloves and Mittens,	87c
$1.50 Gloves and Mittens	$1.05
$2.00 Gloves and Mittens	$1.40

FLANNEL SHIRTS

$2.25 Shirts	$1.57
$2.50 Shirts	$1.75
$3.00 Shirts	$2.10
$5.00 Shirts	$3.50

FLANNEL PAJAMAS BATHROBES

$1.59 Pajamas	$1.11
$2.00 Pajamas	$1.40
$2.98 Bathrobes	$2.09
$3.50 Bathrobes	$2.45
$3.98 Bathrobes	$2.79
$4.50 Bathrobes	$3.15

BOYS' UNION SUITS

98c Union Suits	69c
$1.39 Union Suits	98c
$2.00 Union Suits	$1.40
$2.50 Union Suits	$1.75
$3.00 Union Suits	$2.10
$3.35 Union Suits	$2.35

GIRLS' DRESSES
At ½ Price

$2.00 Dresses	$1.00
$2.50 Dresses	$1.25
$3.00 Dresses	$1.50
$3.50 Dresses	$1.75
$4.00 Dresses	$2.00
$5.00 Dresses	$2.50

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BOWLERS OF THE SONS OF ST. GEORGE

John Orrell acted as toastmaster at the dinner of bowlers of the Sons of St. George, held last night at Cole's St. George hall. Arthur Bennett, league secretary, read off the prize awards and the prizes were presented by Albert Fielding. The banquet was arranged through the efforts of Chairman John Holgate and Secretary Arthur Bennett. A vote of thanks was given Herbert Marsh, official tabulator of the league, for his painstaking work. The individual prizes were given to Charles Brock, Fred King, Elmer Stevenson, Arthur Bennett, Joseph Pearson, Mr. Taylor, Allan Pickles, John Holgate, Albert Fielding, Sam Burtt and George Camp. The members of the winning team were John Holgate, captain; George Gale, William Dawson Jr., Alfred Hartley and Albert Fielding.

TEAPOT BADGES FOR CAMPAIGN

OREGON CITY, Ore., Jan. 31.—Ten thousand miniature aluminum teapots have been ordered as badges for Clackamas county democrats in the forthcoming campaign, W. W. Woodbeck, chairman of the democratic county central committee, announced today.

FOUND NOT GUILTY

A superior court jury in Cambridge yesterday returned a verdict of not guilty in the case of Charles F. Hilton of this city, held on a statutory charge.

You be the Judge

Today try a cup of

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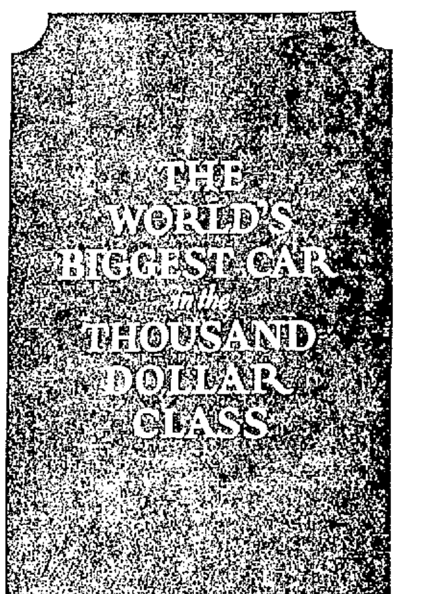

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Immediately after starting to take Dreco I began to feel better. Now I ... my meals like every other fortunate ... or woman. No fear of pains or distress from gaseous stomach. ... is clean and healthy and ... poisonous constipation. I ... a new person. All my thanks to Dreco.

"It ... so wonderful I wish everyone would enjoy the benefit of health derived from taking it."

Dreco is made from the pure, unadulterated juices of twelve remarkable ... roots, barks and leaves, ... blended by the David H. ... of Baltimore. ... the stomach, ... bowels and blood, and ... constipation, head... catarrh, biliousness, dizzy spells, heart fluttering, gas ... and other troubles.

Dreco is being specially introduced by Green's Drug Store and sold by druggists everywhere. Adv.

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RADIO BROADCASTS

WNAC, BOSTON

4 p. m.—Orchestra.
4.15 p. m.—Concert program: Etta B. Thompson, Nettie M. Roberts, Miss Harriet Mansur.
4.45 p. m.—Third talk of series, Service to the Shopper, by E. L. Greene.
5 p. m.—The day in finance.
6.30-7.30 p. m.—WNAC Dinner Dance, Shepard Colonial Orchestra.
8 p. m.—Concert program, the Royal Quartet; Miss Lucile Brown, soprano; Miss Doris Irene Little, contralto, D. Ernest Belcher, tenor; Arthur L. Morse, bass; Miss Nina Spalding, violinist; Miss Grace Stone, accompanist, Miss Velma Harden, accompanist.
9 p. m.—Nautical descriptive overture, "Through the Panama Canal," State Theatre orchestra.

WGI, MEDFORD

5.30 p. m.—Closing Market reports.
6.15 p. m.—Boston Police reports.
6.30 p. m.—Meeting of the Big Brother club.
7 p. m.—Evening program: Stories for Parents; A Modern Mary Antin, read by Alfred Whitman; the American Mutual Entertainers present Kicko, a merry musical comedy in two acts, under the personal direction of Ed. J. Wall and Fred MacGregor.

KDKA, PITTSBURGH

6.15 p. m.—Dinner concert by the Fort Pitt hotel orchestra.
7.30 p. m.—Weekly Chat With the Farmers, by Frank E. Mullen.
7.45 p. m.—The children's period.
8 p. m.—Farm market reports.
8.15 p. m.—Farm feature.
8.30 p. m.—Concert by the KDKA Little Symphony orchestra, assisted by Mrs. Alton Barrick Davis, contralto and reader; P. V. Petraitis, baritone; Chas. Muldowney, piano, and accompanist.
9.55 p. m.—Arlington time signals. Weather forecast.
11.30 p. m.—Late evening concert.

WBZ, SPRINGFIELD

7 p. m.—Preparation of Federal Income Tax Returns, by Thomas McCarry.
7.30 p. m.—Bedtime story for the kiddies. Farmers' period.
8.15 p. m.—Organ recital by Arthur H. Turner, municipal organist, transmitted from the Springfield Auditorium.
9.55 p. m.—Arlington time signals.

WRC, WASHINGTON

3.50 p. m.—Piano recital by Edith Grey.
4 p. m.—Financial news.
5.15 p. m.—Instruction in code practice.
6 p. m.—Children's hour, by Peggy Albion.

WJZ, NEW YORK

5 p. m.—Avy La Skere, double-voice entertainer.
5.30 p. m.—Closing market reports.
7 p. m.—Children's period.
7.30 p. m.—Lecture.
8 p. m.—The World's Work.
8.15 p. m.—Organ recital by Dr. Alexander Russell.
9 p. m.—Anne Lewis Pierce.
9.15 p. m.—Joint recital by Erna Korn, contralto, and Hedy Spielter, pianist.
10.15 p. m.—Jimmy Moore's popular program.
10.30 p. m.—Dance program by the Hotel Commodore orchestra.

WJY, NEW YORK

740 Kc, 405 Meters

7.30 p. m.—Freda Williams, soprano, accompanied by Creighton Allen.
8.15 p. m.—Wilbur C. Whitehead, Auction Bridge.
8.30 p. m.—Concert by Almanac Hotel orchestra.

WHAS, LOUISVILLE

750 Kc, 400 Meters

5 p. m.—Selections by the Walnut theatre orchestra; police bulletins; weather forecast; Just Among Home Folks; selections by the Strand theatre orchestra; late important news bulletins and market reports.
6 p. m.—Time announced.
8.30-10 p. m.—One-hour concert; four-minute digest of Sunday school lesson by Rev. Dr. Ira R. Ladd; four-minute radio forum talk. Time announced at 10 o'clock.

WEAF, NEW YORK

4 p. m.—Musical program to be announced.
4.15 p. m.—Charlotte Nadler, violinist, accompanied by Lucille Nadler.
4.30 p. m.—Musical program to be announced.
4.45 p. m.—Lena C. Sandy, soprano, accompanied by Winifred T. Barr.
5 p. m.—Charlotte Nadler, violinist.
5.15 p. m.—Lena C. Sandy, soprano.
7 p. m.—Mid-week service under the auspices of the New York Federation of Churches.
7.30 p. m.—Sport talk by Thornton Fisher.
7.40 p. m.—Minnie Weil, pianist.
7.50 p. m.—R. Huntington Woodman, composer-pianist with Mrs. R. Huntington Woodman, soprano; Dicie Howell, contralto, and Arthur Billings Hunt, baritone.
8.20 p. m.—Agricultural Problems, by Dudley F. Fowler.
8.30 p. m.—Minnie Weil, pianist.
8.40 p. m.—A Short Talk on Olive Oil, by R. U. Delapheua.
8.50 p. m.—Minnie Weil, pianist.
9 p. m.—Planning a Successful St. Valentine's Day Party, by Anne Blanvelt.
9.10 p. m.—Recital by R. Huntington Woodman, composer-pianist, with assisting artist.
9.30 p. m.—Musical program to be announced.
9.45 p. m.—Program following dinner of the Young Men's Hebrew association given in honor of the Hon. M. Maldwin Fertig, president of the Young Men's Hebrew Association of the Bronx and in honor of the acquisition of the association's new home at 172d st. and Fulton avenue, New York city.
11-12 Vincent Lopez and his orchestra.

WCAP, WASHINGTON

8.15 p. m.—Concert by the United States Navy Band orchestra.
10-12 p. m.—Dance music by the Meyer Davis' Le Paradis band, played at the Cafe Le Paradis, Washington.

BETTER AMPLIFICATION RADIO'S CHIEF END

The outstanding need of radio today, both for the enjoyment of the art and to promote its further development as a sound industry, is more efficient amplification.

Not only research engineers but manufacturers agree that the wider use of better amplification is the next stage of development of the utility. This will not only vastly increase the number of radio users, but immeasurably improve the standard and quality of results obtained in homes throughout the land.

To be sure, amplification is already used with a vengeance. Vengeance is often the precise word!

The general public is realizing more every day that amplification is the most important single factor in radio. It is so fundamental that without amplification, radio today would be impossible. Changing electric waves to sound waves wouldn't mean much if they couldn't be heard plainly. Amplification builds them up so that they are clear and easy to hear. Amplification is used at the transmitting station as well as the receiving instrument. Faint whispers thousands of miles away become clear, living voices in the homes of millions.

Amplification is multiplication. The small amount of sound energy generated by the voice or violin string at the broadcasting station is changed to electrical energy and then multiplied or amplified millions of times. This large amount of energy is then put into an antenna and radiated out into space as an electromagnetic wave. When this wave strikes a similar antenna thousands of miles away it gives up to it a small amount of this energy to be amplified again so that a whole roomful of people at the remote point can listen and understand.

"In a very real and vital sense," to quote Mr. Cairns, "the key to radio is amplification, and the public is increasingly realizing this. Even more important, they are demanding amplification which gives not only volume but quality of sound—amplification without distortion."

STRATFORD DANCE

The Stratfords will hold their weekly dancing party at the Highland club on Friday evening. These dansants are regular weekly affairs and form part of the weekly schedule of the dancing folks of the city. These socials will continue until the Lenten season commences. The music is furnished by Wrick's Harvard orchestra of Cambridge, a team composed of students from the great university. They are playing the latest musical comedy hits and their dancing time is all that could be desired. They will furnish music for all Stratford parties during the remainder of the season.

GOES FROM B. & M. TO N. Y., N. H. & H.

Robert H. Newcomb, executives' assistant of the Boston & Maine railroad and a frequent visitor to Lowell during the past year for purposes of consultation with local industrial leaders, retired from the B. & M. executives' staff today to join the forces of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad in the department of public relations.

Mr. Newcomb has at different times been the guest of both Lowell Chamber of Commerce and Rotary club, seeking to enlist business men in the cause of proper packing of freight shipments and giving them facts on money-saving methods of transporting freight of all kinds via railroad channels.

MARRIED TWELVE YEARS BEFORE BABY CAME

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In a recent country-wide canvass of purchasers of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, 98 out of every 100 report they were benefited by its use. For sale by druggists everywhere.

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AMUSEMENT NOTES

LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

A sparkling and vivacious bit of comedy is "The Demi-Virgin," this week's attraction at the Lowell Opera House. The play is teeming with funny and near-naughty situations that are both perplexing and humorous. William Courneen, the new leading man, is making a fine reputation for himself in Lowell as the result of his clever handling of his role in this play. Miss Lillian Desmonde, newly added leading lady of the company, is even more of a sweetheart than she was last week in Little Old New York.

The stock players are giving a grand performance of Avery Hopwood's farce and the cast is heavily augmented in order to produce this show. Malcolm MacLeod, Dick Morgan, Edna Andrews, John Rowe, Fern Chandler and Marguerite Slavin are all shown to great advantage. The play is one that makes merriment reign supreme from the very opening and will sweep all before it in a gale of laughter.

It is the sort of a play that will banish the blues and is full of bright dialogue and original farcical situations. After viewing the play one can readily see why it did 52 weeks of capacity business under the auspices of A. H. Woods when first presented in New York. The show takes rank as the foremost funmaker of the season, far superior to Six Cylinder Love which was received here as a real smart one. For humor, for sparkle, for interest, for snap and pep aplenty, this shows runs on all twelve every minute and makes you like it. The seat sale has been heavy but a few choice seats are still available and reservations may be made by phoning 261.

RIALTO

"Times Have Changed," the William Fox production which opens at the Rialto today presents William Russell in an entirely new type of role. "Times Have Changed" is an ostensibly serious drama, tempered and relieved by much irresistible humor. Satire plays an important part in the development of its multifarious situations. In brief, the story concerns the unfortunate circumstances of an aunt coming to live with a newlywed couple. The events that lead to their ultimate rebellion against her sovereignty offer highly sensitized amusement. Mabel Julienne Scott, notable among the screen's leading beauties, plays opposite Russell.

A screen version of the famous operetta, "The Bohemian Girl," is the added feature and is said to be an unusually excellent picture. It is a vivid and colorful story of gypsy life which will prove entertaining to all.

"HUMAN WRECKAGE"

"Human Wreckage," a smashing denunciation of the dope evil, should do more than all the tons of printed matter, speeches, editorials and committees that have been brought forth since the narcotic evil first became a live issue. "Human Wreckage" is not a story of Wallace Reid's own life, though it is his spirit, which actuated the production of this, the greatest moral play ever conceived.

"Human Wreckage" is cross-section of throbbing human experience. Here is a drama built out of the very fabric of life, stripped of reserve, born of the nobility of a woman's soul, and dedicated to the cause of saving other lives from the unspeakable curse of narcotics. Played by a perfect cast, including Mrs. Wallace Reid, James Kirkwood, Bessie Love and a host of others, "Human Wreckage" is not only the most crashing blow ever delivered against the narcotic evil—not only the most gigantic theatrical attraction ever produced—it is real. It lives! You must see it! Next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday at the Rialto. The prices will remain unchanged.

THE STRAND

That modern mothers and fathers are failing in their responsibilities to parenthood is the lesson which is being forcibly driven home at The Strand this week in the First National picturization of Warner Fabian's "Flaming Youth." It's a photodrama of this age of jazz and pocket flasks and scorn of the conventions, and Colleen Moore as Patricia Fentriss is seen as the pampered little flapper who is indulged in all her dangerous whims. She flits from one frivolous love affair to another, but of course the crash comes, and there is a genuinely stirring romance in which the heroine is jolted into her senses. The sympathy of the audience, however, is always with the innocent little flapper because the fault is more her parents' than her own.

Douglas MacLean and Edith Roberts in "The Sunshine Trail" is the second feature. Don't miss one of the greatest bills of the year.

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

"Doubt," the satirical comedy which Paul Decker & Co. are presenting at the B. F. Keith theatre, this week, has many finely written lines and situations which are exceptionally clever. It will cause the one who witnesses it to do some tall thinking, yet it is all comedy. Another specially good turn is that of Walter and Emily Walters, the ventriloquists, in "The Baby's Cry." This is without exception the best piece of talking ever seen on a local stage. It is all woven into a little play of compelling interest. The singing of Wade Booth, baritone, is breezy and very well done. The choice of selections is uncommonly good. Comedy and music are offered by George M. Fisher and Fanny Hurst and Jean LaCrosse, the favorite soprano of California, and the Hustons, jugglers, complete the good bill. The picture is "The Broad Road," a Western subject which is finely done.

MERRIMACK SQUARE

The "grandeur that was Rome" lives again at the Merrimack Square theatre where Buster Keaton's first full length feature comedy, "Three Ages," is being shown. All the wealth and power of the Roman empire of Caesar, Marc Antony and Cleopatra parade before the eye in regal splendor, and Buster struts as majestically among such surroundings as he once did in his two-reel slapstick comedies.

Keaton skips brilliantly from scenes in the cave man age to the Roman era and down to our own times. "Three Ages" is full of bursting comedy brilliantly acted throughout by Keaton, who is supported by Margaret Leahy and Wallace Beery among others of an able cast.

"Three Ages," is a Joseph M. Schenck presentation through Metro. It was directed by Buster Keaton and Eddie Cline from the story by Jean Havez, Joe Mitchell and Clyde Bruckman.

Hoot Gibson in "Double Dealing," and a comedy, "Off Easy Street," are other features.

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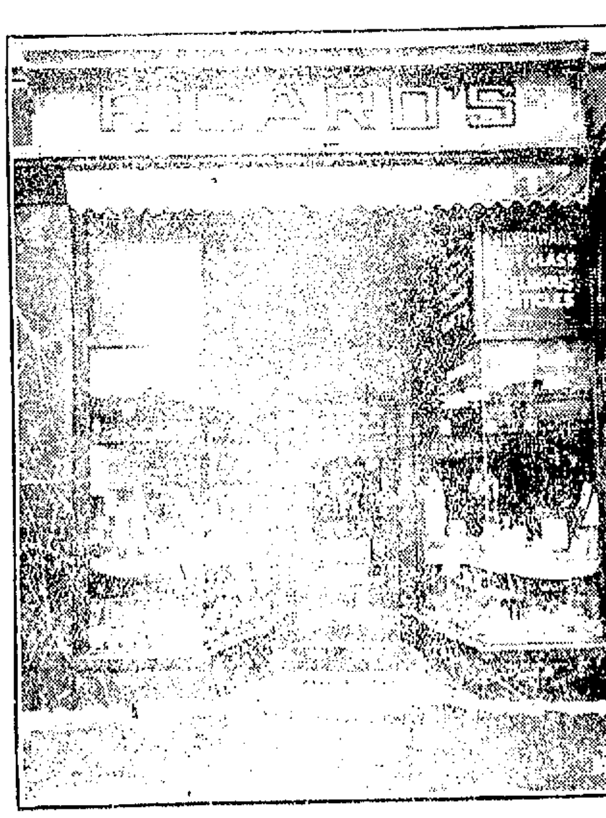

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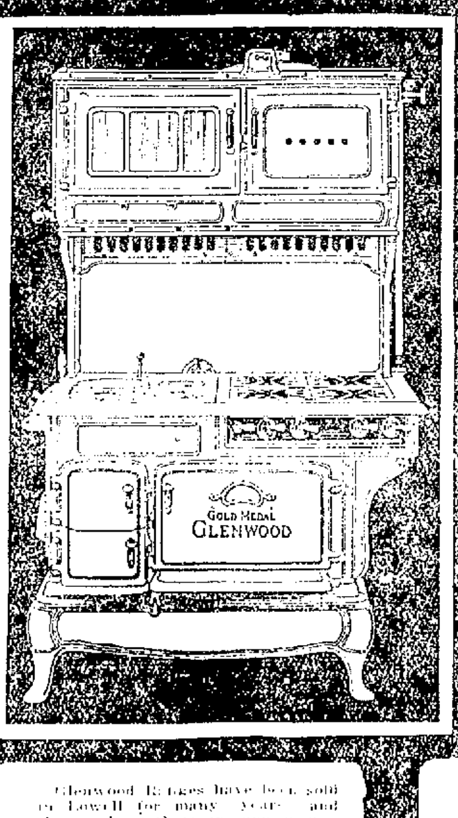

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OH, WHAT A SIGHT!

One Look at Flapper and Back to Congo Missionary Goes

By N.E.A. Service

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—After taking one good look at the American bob-haired flapper, Mrs. Helen E. Springer, missionary, has taken the next boat back to the Congo!

"I've traked 20,000 miles through Africa," she remarked. "But I've never met a type I understand so imperfectly as this 'modern woman' that has grown

MRS. HELEN E. SPRINGER

up in my native country during my absence."

For 23 years Mrs. Springer and her husband traveled as missionaries through the Belgian Congo and Rhodesia. They established churches, schools and medical stations and taught simple crafts to natives. Yet in all her experience she reports—

"I've never known a native girl to drape her three yards of calico or burlap so suggestively about her body as the flapper of today does her chiffons and silks. And I find any of the six or seven Bantu dialects more intelligible to me than the patter that goes on at tea tables and over the counters in New York."

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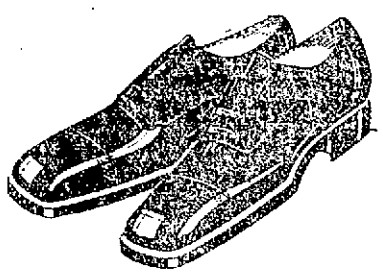

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NEW ORLEANS

BY MASON DIXON

N.E.A. Service Writer

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 31.—Some weeks ago, when New Orleans found itself without a ghost, due to a gambler's confession that the Haunted House was only a gambling resort and that the sporting country had even hired "spirits" to groan and clank their chains, the young bloods of the city found a new hangout for ethereal citizens.

It was located in Gallatin street, a deserted little river-front thoroughfare once given over to heetic revels in the good old steamboat days. Now the little street, dark, narrow, lined with rickety, ancient, overhanging and smoking houses, is used by roughnecks and their dames. For weeks society gallants had been taking their partners at the Virgin Cattle balls to hear the ghost of Gallatin street. This particular ghost made a roaring, blerting sound.

Finally, some brave beau, who was not in on the secret, ventured to board the ghost in his den. It turned out to be the pet alligator of Judge Jules Brunot, who had parked his pet there for the winter.

American history records that Gen. Andrew Jackson won the battle of New Orleans. Nearly all historians admit his victory was largely due to reinforcements rushed him by the pirate Jean Lafitte.

Now New Orleans is considering erecting a monument, near that of Gen. Jackson, to Pirate Lafitte.

For the first time since 1796 the dripping fountain at the Old Absinthe house has stopped. The marble slab under the faucet, worn almost through by the constant drip from the siphon, is dry.

No gentleman ever drank his absinthe mixed with a spoon. The absinthe had to be placed in a glass and then slowly dissolved by the drip from the fountain.

Recently New Orleans experienced its coldest weather in years. The bartenders at the Old Absinthe house, now politely called a soft drink emporium, forgot to protect the fountain. So it froze up and burst.

The price of turnip greens in New Orleans has soared to unheard of heights. Negro mammies who once sold them in the old French Market for almost a song, have become the aristocrats of vegetable vendors. It's due to Josephus Daniels, former secretary of the navy.

When he was in Louisiana recently he remarked that Tom Marshall, former vice president of the United States, had said that what the nation needed was a good five-cent cigar.

"Mr. Marshall is wrong," said Mr. Daniels, "what America needs is more corn pone, hog jowl and turnip greens."

Immediately New Orleans commenced the rush on turnip greens.

AT ASSOCIATE HALL

Hoffilley's orchestra from Portland, Me., will be the attraction tonight at Associate hall, furnishing the music at the Thursday evening social. Not only does this aggregation play snappy music but it provides a program of entertainment entirely different from any other in its line. The members of the team are versatile and a popular vaudeville show is produced in connection with its customary duties. Just as a reminder—Coupons for the four-day New York trip will be given to each person entering the hall and the fourth winner in the contest will be drawn Saturday evening.

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A NEW ORGAN

A new two Manuel Estey church organ has been installed at The Funeral church, 236 Westford street. It is much larger and better toned than the one previously in use. It will add greatly to the dignity and church-like atmosphere of funeral services held at this establishment. It is optional whether the organ is to be used at a funeral service or not. There is no charge for the use of the church, but if the organ is desired a fee is required for the organist. Mrs. Helen C. Taylor, organist at All Souls church has consented to act in a like capacity at The Funeral church.

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SISTER MARY'S BEST RECIPES

VEGETABLE CHOWDERS

Hot chowders are particularly good for winter luncheons. Vegetables are quite as satisfactory as fish for these dishes.

Many children who will not drink milk will like it if served hot in a vegetable chowder.

POTATO CHOWDER

Four cups milk, 3 cups diced potatoes, 1 cup diced carrots, 2 slices onions, 2 tablespoons flour, 2 tablespoons butter, 1 teaspoon salt, ½ teaspoon celery salt, ⅛ teaspoon pepper, 2 tablespoons minced parsley.

Put potatoes and carrots in kettle and pour over boiling water to barely cover. Cook five minutes. Add milk and cook, just below the boiling point for 20 minutes. Melt butter in a small pan with the slices of onion. Let stand over hot water for five minutes. Remove onion and stir in flour. Cook three minutes, stirring constantly, to cook the flour. Stir into milk and vegetable mixture, season with salt, pepper and parsley and let stand without boiling for three minutes longer.

Serve with toasted bread sticks.

CORN CHOWDER

One can of corn, 2 tablespoons diced salt pork, 1 small onion, 2 cups diced potatoes, 1 cup boiling water, 2 cups milk, 1 teaspoon salt, 2 tablespoons butter, 6 large crackers.

Try out fat from salt pork and add onion cut in slices. Cook slowly for five minutes without letting the fat brown. Strain fat into soup kettle. Parboil potatoes for five minutes and drain. Add to fat in kettle, pour over boiling water and cook 20 minutes. Add corn and milk, season with salt and pepper and bring to the boiling point. Add butter. Split crackers and soak in cold milk for five minutes. Remove from milk and put into soup tureen. Pour hot chowder over them and serve at once.

MIXED VEGETABLE CHOWDER

Two cups diced potatoes, 1 cup diced carrots, ½ cup diced turnips, ½ cup diced celery, 1 sweet green pepper, 1 onion, 2 tablespoons butter, 2 quarts boiling water, 4 cups milk, 3 tablespoons flour, 1 teaspoon salt, ⅛ teaspoon pepper.

Remove the seeds and white membranes from pepper and mince. Mince celery. Put all the vegetables in soup kettle, pour over boiling water, cover and simmer 20 minutes. Add milk and salt and bring to the boiling point. Melt butter, stir in flour and cook five minutes. Stir into milk and vegetable mixture and cook three minutes longer. Season with pepper and serve with lemon crackers prepared as in the preceding recipe or with crouton.

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FATHER ARRESTED AS SLAYER OF SCHOOLGIRL

MILLVILLE, N. J., Jan. 31.—Thompson Dickens, 45, father of Emma Dickens, Bridgeboro high school girl whose body was found in a swamp two miles from her home Sept. 2 last, [illegible] was arrested [illegible] and formally charged with [illegible].

It is believed that Benjamin Dickens, [illegible] of the girl, late yesterday after lengthy questioning declared he had beaten the girl to death in their house on the night of Sept. 1 and carried the body to the swamp.

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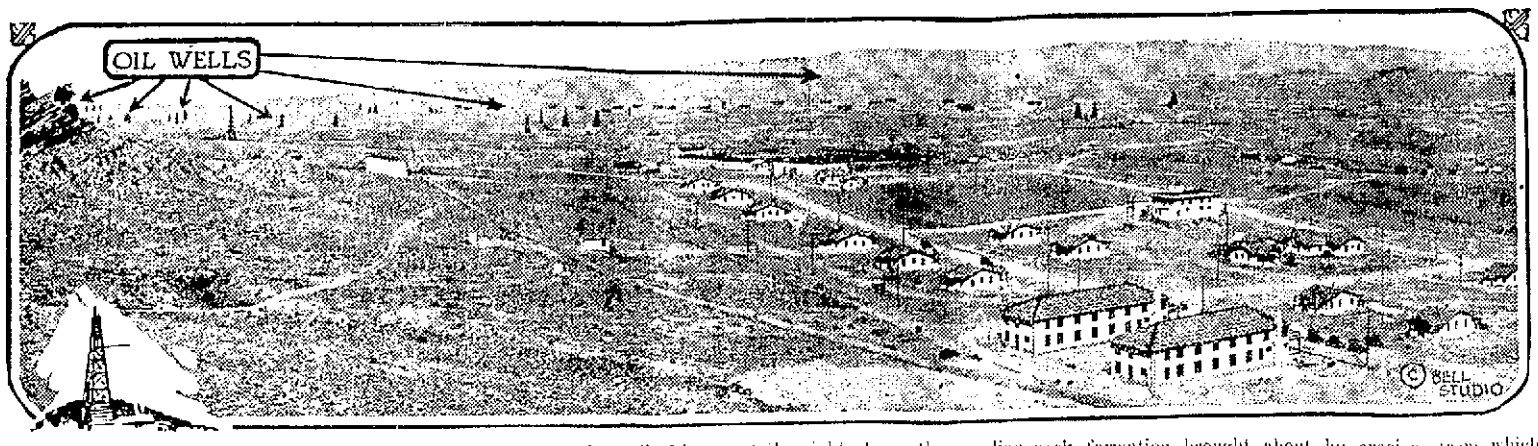
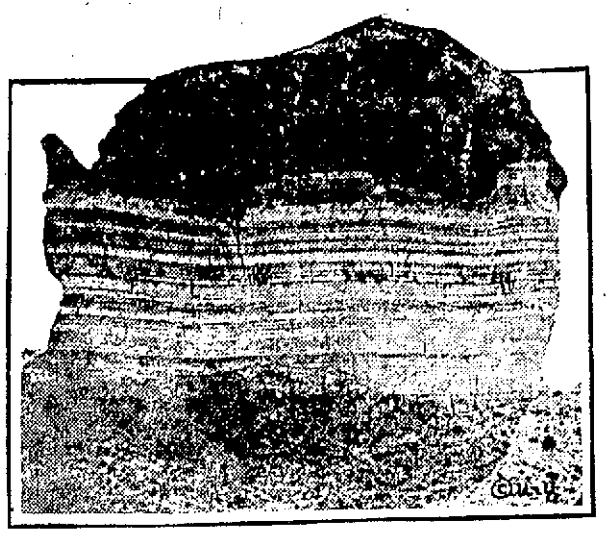
WHY THEY CALL IT "TEAPOT DOME" ALSO A VIEW OF THAT FIELD





Here's why they call the now famous Wyoming oil field "Teapot Dome." Picture at the right shows the peculiar rock formation brought about by erosion, from which the district draws its name. Above is a panoramic view of the oil field which is now in the limelight as a result of the senate's probe of the conditions under which this portion of the naval oil reserve was leased to private interests. The Teapot Dome field is in central Wyoming, mainly in Natrona county.

Here's the Teapot Dome Teapot.

Pres. Coolidge Confers With Senate Leaders on Oil Leases

(Continued)

president desired to discuss with the two democratic leaders the whole question of the investigation as made by the senate committee and as contemplated by the legislative branch of the government.

The conference was the first the president has had with democratic sentaor since the oil lease inquiry assumed its present major proportions.

Strawn at White House

Silas H. Strawn, one of the special counsel selected by the president to conduct the government's investigation, arrived at the White House almost simultaneously with the two senaros but did not go into conference with the president with them.

Arrangements were made meantime for a conference between Mr. Strawn and J. Crawford Biggs of Raleigh, N. C., an attorney said to have been intimately acquainted with the oil land policies carried on by Secretary Daniels, under the Wilson administration.

Before the house naval committee, which is inquiring into the disposition of royalty oils under the Doheny and Sinclair leases, a debate developed over the Daniels policies, with republican members declaring that the door for the Fall contracts originally was opened by the former democrat navy secretary.

The senate oil committee held no session, but three physicians selected by it went to the apartment where former Secretary Fall is confined to determine whether he is too ill to testify when the committee hearings are resumed tomorrow.

Rumors of Cabinet Changes

In the midst of these developments rumors of cabinet changes involving the retirement of Secretary Denby and Attorney General Daugherty, continued to fly thick and fast, but Secretary Slemp denied flatly a story that the two cabinet members had placed their resignations before the president.

It was indicated that all features of the problem were talked over with the president by Senators Robinson and Walsh, but that most of the conference was taken up with the question of the special counsel who will prosecute the annulment suits.

Mr. Coolidge has selected Thomas W. Gregory of Texas, a former democratic attorney general, to act with Mr. Strawn and he is on his way to Washington. There were evidence yesterday, however, that something might have gone amiss in the plans and it was even more apparent today that the makeup of the government's counsel wa a subject still occupying a large share of attention in administration circles.

It was to talk over that subject that Chairman Lenroot of the oil committee and Senator Curtis of Kansas, the republican whip, made an early morning trip to the White House. Later Senator Lodge, the republican floor leader, also called on the president before his conference with the democratic leaders.

All the senators declined to say what trend the discussion had taken or whether the qualifications of either of the two attorneys selected by Mr. Coolidge had been questioned.

Judge Biggs, who is a democrat, would not comment on the question of whether he might become associated with the government's special counsel.

Tills Delay Vote

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—With the Walsh resolution directing the president to move for annulment of the naval oil leases still tangled in the net of senate discussion, three physicians examined former Secretary Fall to determine independently for the investigating committee whether his condition will permit him to appear soon for questioning.

Silas H. Strawn, one of the lawyers selected by President Coolidge to represent the government in court action growing out of the inquiry, continued meanwhile his examination of evidence developed in the investigation while awaiting the arrival of former Attorney General Gregory, who will act with him, and the house naval committee proceeded with its inquiry into the disposal of Royalty Oil.

House Committee Calls Denby

The house committee yesterday heard Rear Admiral Latimer, judge advocate general of the navy, and has invited Secretary Denby, who remains under fire in the senate due to his connection with the oil leasing contracts, to present his views.

The senate committee held no session today, despite the request yesterday of E. L. Doheny, leader of the California reserve lease for a further hearing, but it will meet tomorrow to receive the report on Fall's condition from its physicians Thomas A. Claytor, Daniel V. Stuart, Jr., and Sterling Ruffin, and is expected to receive the oil magnet then.

Politics and personal tilts together with efforts to modify the language of the Walsh resolution by three amendments, helped to force it over for further discussion today.

Special Meeting of Council Tomorrow Evening

(Continued)

terest payments on outstanding bonds as of January 1 will amount to $283,713.55, or a reduction of substantially $10,000 from last year. This nature does not include discount on temporary money for 1924 or interest on any bond issues floated prior to July 1 of the current year.

Budget Again Taken Up

The budget and audit commission met this afternoon to continue its 1924 budget deliberations. The commission hopes to get all other departments out of the way before the school department estimates are submitted.

National Music Week

Mayor John J. Donovan is in receipt of a letter from the National Bureau for the Advancement of Music, asking his co-operation in the observance of National Music week, from May 4 to 10. The letter is from C. M. Tremaine, secretary of the bureau and suggests the desirability of taking some action toward the formation of a music week committee for the proper observance of the event in Lowell.

National Music week is the outgrowth of many local music weeks all over the country and its purpose is to spread a love for music and appreciation of its growing importance in the life of the individual and the community. Secretary Tremaine already has been in communication with Albert Edmund Brown, one of the leaders in local music circles, and Supt. John W. Kernan, of the park department.

Looking Ahead to 1932

A communication from the Sulgrave Institution of New York to Mayor Donovan today solicits his co-operation in a national celebration of the 200th anniversary of the birth of George Washington, which falls on Feb. 22, 1932. The mayor is asked to name a committee to care for local details and work with the national organization now in the process of formation.

Wild Scenes at Indianapolis

(Continued)

spectful hearing for "a member of the president's cabinet."

While the tumult proceeded Lewis again took the floor and shouted at the top of his voice to make himself heard:

"The honor of your organization is at stake. You are on trial before the country. Exercise self restraint that our organization be not publicly shamed."

He then requested those unwilling to hear the speaker to leave the hall. After prolonged handclapping Secretary Davis began to speak.

Secretary Davis drew applause when he recommended a long term wage contract of five years, declaring such a wage agreement would bring about a long period of harmony in the coal industry and would eliminate "spot, or short coal gamblers—the worst menace of the industry."

Secretary Davis, in his speech, pleaded for a way in which to make the coal mines of the country safer for the miners.

CHILD SERIOUSLY INJURED BY AUTO

Eight-year old Searle Blaney, son of Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Blaney of Westford, was seriously injured late yesterday afternoon when struck by an automobile operated by Frank Wright, Jr., of Westford. He was removed to the Lowell General hospital where it was found he was suffering from a fractured skull. His name was placed on the dangerous list last night and while his condition is still considered serious it is reported today that he is considerably improved.

EARLY MORNING ROOF FIRE

Sparks from a chimney set fire to a roof at 90 Appleton street at 1.50 this morning. Apparatus responding to a telephone alarm extinguished the blaze before any considerable damage had been done.

OH, PLEASE, MR. OFFICER TAKE ME TO JAIL!

Going to jail isn't half bad any more in Bucyrus, O. And there's a reason. Crawford county's free public boarding house has a new warden-matron. Pretty 19-year-old Mildred Freese, just out of high school last June, took over the keys when her mother, Mrs. Frankie Freese, was appointed sheriff. Mrs. Freese is serving out her husband's unexpired term. He was killed in an automobile accident.

BUNKER CONVICTED OF MURDER

DETROIT, Jan. 31.—Jesse Bunker, alias Murphy, was convicted late yesterday of the murder of Frederick Webster, who was fatally wounded last August in a revolver fight between detectives and bandits they surprised in an attempt to hold up a blind pig. The jury was out 28 minutes. He was sentenced to a life term in prison. Bunker, in a statement to the court following his conviction admitted participation in the hold up, but denied that he fired the fatal shot.

NOT ON THE PROGRAM

Baldheaded Men Unconsciously Contributed to Amusement of Spectators

Outlines of Bird Formed by Shiny Pated Men Sitting in Parquet Seats

DANZIG, Jan. 31.—Baldheaded men occupying [illegible] in a Danzig theatre contributed unconsciously to the amusement of spectators in the galleries recently, as the result of the whim of the ticket seller. It is customary in central Europe for men to remove their hats upon entering shops or theatre lobbies and the ingenious agent took advantage of this practice to use the bald head men to carry out this scheme of fancy. He drew a picture on his seat chart and then disposed of certain seats only to baldheaded men.

As the parquet filled and the "baldheads" took their respective seats the outline was complete. Just before the curtain rose the audience above could plainly distinguish the outlines of a bird formed by the shiny pated men sitting contentedly below and wondering what all the laughing was about.

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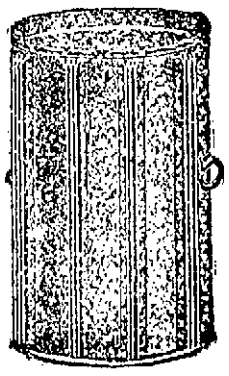

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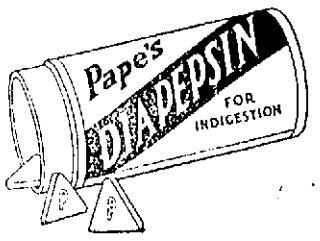

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Tonight's a big night at North Billerica. Promptly at 8 o'clock the curtain at the Thomas Talbot Memorial hall will ring up on the first act of "Making Daddy Behave," a farcical comedy-drama to be presented by the Attissima Dramatic club of the town. There is comedy galore in the play ably presented by such an array of talent as Edward Gannon, Myles Finnegan, Mary Collins and Helen Hayes. Howard Conway, as the stern lawyer, Roland Conway as the bashful secretary, Mary A. McCarthy as the up-to-the-minute "grandma" mother-in-law, is great, and Helen Hayes as the excitable widow of only 38, is a riot. Other members of the cast have fully mastered the difficult parts assigned them and will put over one of the finest comedies that the town has ever had the pleasure of witnessing. Thomas J. Beane, well known local dramatic coach, assisted by James Gannon, have been rehearsing the cast for the past few weeks and the results are marvelous. The production will be well staged and as a capacity audience is looked for, everything points to one of the most successful entertainments that this live wire organization has sponsored.

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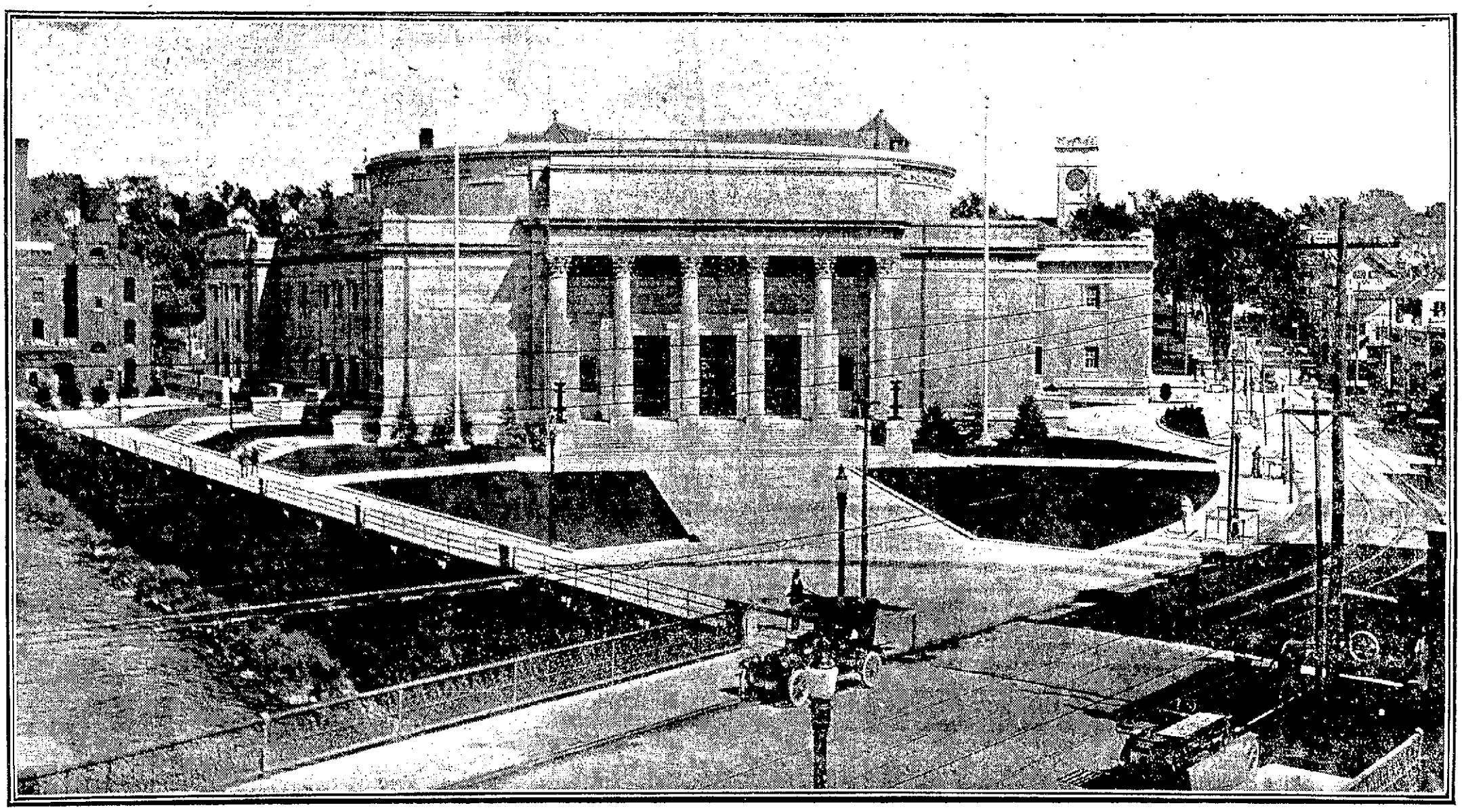

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AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS ON DECREASE HERE

Fewer automobile accidents involving injury to persons occurred in this city during the first 30 days of this month than in a like period either in winter or summer in the past two years. Only 18 accidents incurring injuries to persons that necessitated either hospital or medical attendance were reported and of this number none was fatal.

In January last year 1 fatality was recorded and approximately 30 accidents resulting in personal injury occurred.

In speaking of the decrease in automobile accidents during this month, Chief Atkinson said that the record is all the more remarkable because of the far greater number of machines in daily use this month than in any previous winter months.

During the year 1923 a total of 13 persons met their deaths on the city streets as a result of automobile accidents, one was killed in Billerica and 3 in Tyngsboro during the same period. In 1922 only 6 persons were killed by automobiles in this city, which was a record not only for cities the size of Lowell in this state but throughout the whole country.

At first glance, said Chief Atkinson this morning, it would appear that the increase in the number of fatalities in 1923 showed a fault either among the police or among automobile operators. But when it is taken into consideration that there were 106,000 more automobiles in operation in this state in 1923 than in 1922, the reason for the increase in automobile fatalities is easily understood. In fact, he continued, 1922 was an exceptional year for this city, the total number of deaths in the four years prior to 1922 averaging nearly 20 per year was far better than that average.

Plans for handling the increased traffic of 1924 are still in the process of formation, said the superintendent. In 1923 every officer did traffic duty near the schools and churches and at main cross streets during the heavy traffic periods. In addition to this extra traffic officers were put on duty and the motorcycle officers spent a considerable part of their time directing traffic in sections away from the centre of the city where traffic conditions are bad.

The traffic problems must be met as they come, he continued, for there is no precedent to fall back upon in connection with this work. Lowell is handicapped by its narrow streets and lack of parking space but with efficient handling of traffic by the police and a hearty cooperation of automobilists, the problems will be lightened and the danger of accidents lessened.

SOUTHPAWS NEEDED IN MAJOR LEAGUES

By N.E.A. Service

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—American league managers are hopeful that the coming season will develop some capable southpaws. It is a noteworthy fact that both major leagues have been weak in left-handed pitching for several years.

In Joe Shaute and Jim Edwards Cleveland has two of the best prospects. Unless these two youngsters come through, Manager Speaker is going to be hard put for pitchers.

In the closing weeks of the American league race, a young southpaw by the name of Whitehill featured for Detroit against the 'Tygers' two strongest rivals, New York and Cleveland. Cobb admits he is banking on Whitehill.

Herbie Pennock stands out as the best southpaw in the American league, yet Pennock, as far as natural ability is concerned, in no way compares to former crack southpaws like Rube Waddell, Vean Gregg, Eddie Plank and others.

Pennock, slight of stature, is compelled to constantly reserve his strength. A wise head is as big a factor as his arm in the success that has come his way.

FIREMAN INJURED BY AUTOMOBILE

Engineman Herman Morrison, of the crew of Engine 5, Fourth street, was slightly injured early last evening when he was struck and knocked down by an automobile operated by Arthur Lemoine of 51 Blodgett street.

The accident occurred shortly after 6 o'clock as Mr. Morrison was on his way home from work. As he started to cross Bridge street at Fourth to board an electric car he was struck by the machine. He was taken to his home, 17 Holden street, by Mr. Lemaine, who later reported the accident to the police.

VIOLIN RECITAL BY MISS L. M. SULLIVAN

Miss Lillian M. Sullivan, pupil of Miss Irene Lawlor and a senior at the Lowell high school where she is a member of the orchestra, gave an enjoyable violin recital at Miss Lawler's studio, 76 Varnum street, last evening before an interested audience. Miss Sullivan, who is also a member of the League of Catholic Women's orchestra, was ably assisted last evening by Miss Mary Casey of Emerson College of Oratory, Boston, who entertained with various selected readings. The program:

Concerto in D....................Seitz
Miss Sullivan
Reading ....Selected
Miss Casey
(a) Spring Song........Mendelssohn
(c) Londonderry Air........Kriesler
(d) Old Folks at Home (For string only) ....Zimbalist
Miss Sullivan
Hungarian Dance No. 5.......Brahms
Hungarian Dance No. 6.......Brahms
Miss Sullivan
Reading ....Selected
Miss Casey
(a) Kulawiak ....Wieniawski
(b) Introduction and Polonaise..Allen
Miss Sullivan
Miss Mary Sullivan, usher

St. Patrick's School Alumni Holds Reunion and Banquet

Continued

Catholic education, which he characterized as "conduct and the acceptance of Divine authority." "Instead of applauding, let us say: 'St. Patrick's, our lips are praising you; St. Patrick's, our hearts are loving you; St. Patrick's our lives are living you—St. Patrick's.'"

Jeremiah J. O'Sullivan

"I am merely a spokesman for the alumni," said Jeremiah J. O'Sullivan in opening. "We come here with love and affection that we have not forgotten the teachings and principles we learned here. Friendship and faith in friendship as the brothers have taught us, is binding. May we return again and again to give testimony of it."

Rev. Bro. Peter, C.F.X.

"Loyalty," was the subject of Bro. Peter's talk. He sketched the life of the school historically, saying that its immediate inheritance goes back to April, 1882, when the school was founded with the appointment of Fr. Mahoney as pastor by Bishop Fenwick, and the building up of the "Acre" by Hugh Cummiskey and his band of Irishmen who walked from Boston. Shortly after 1830, St. Patrick's became known as the Fifth district school of Lowell, but always known as St. Patrick's, and we had the peculiar situation of a parochial school being supported through public taxation."

Referring to the Broadway club monument to World war heroes, Bro. Peter said it was significant that the only other monument to such heroes outside the Memorial Auditorium was instituted through the foresight and zeal of former St. Patrick's boys. "Your shibboleth," he concluded, "has been as St. Patrick's wills it. Have frequent meetings. As long as you follow the advice of your pastor and his assistants, then you follow the admonition of the Master, and your wish may be expressed, as mine is tonight, 'God bless you old St. Patrick's. None know you but to love you, none name you but to praise.'"

The Indomitable "Bob" Hart

The final speaker of the evening was "Bob" Hart, whose inside stories of baseball are always interesting. He was in excellent form last night and proved an appropriate closing attraction for the gathering which went home happy in the thought that their school-day affiliations were linked with St. Patrick's in the Acre.

The committee in charge of the function was as follows:

John J. Monahan, chairman; Daniel Cunningham, secretary; Bro. Clarence, C.F.X., treasurer. John Flannery, Eugene A. Fitzgerald, Timothy O'Sullivan, William A. Walsh, John T. McDermott, Henry Doran, Joseph Regan, James Furey.

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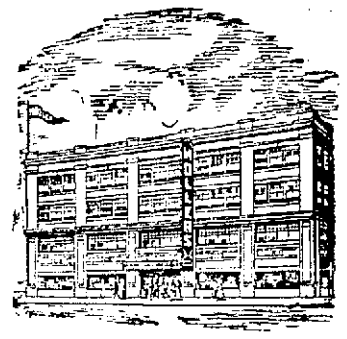
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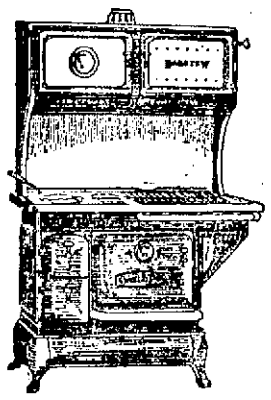

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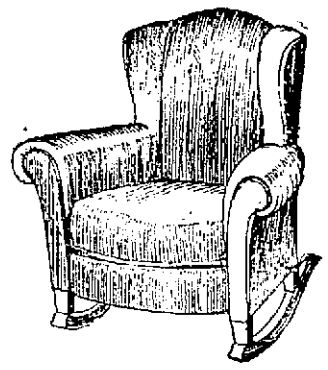

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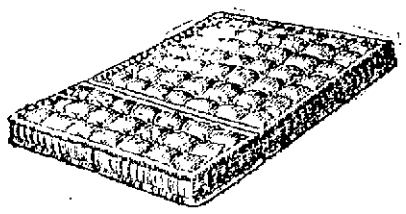

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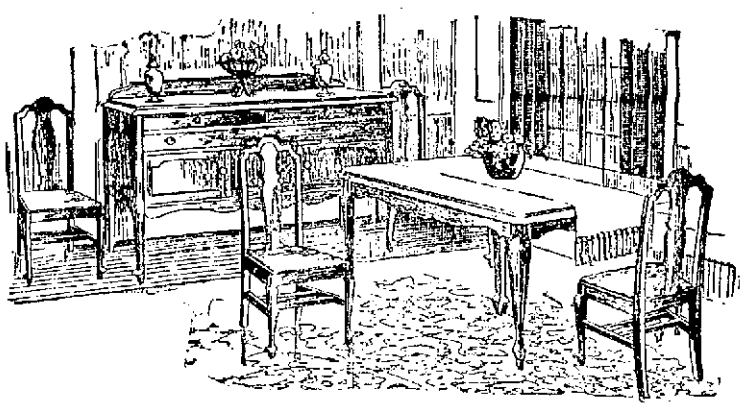
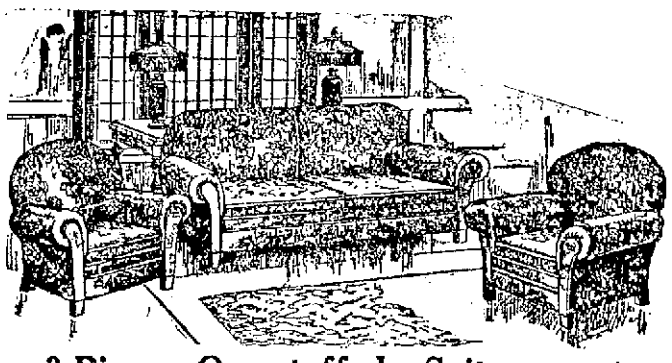


6-Piece Dining Room Suite

Reduced to **$69**

Consisting of large buffet, oblong extension table and four chairs with genuine leather slip seats. The suite is strongly constructed of hardwoods in the Queen Anne design and is nicely finished to resemble walnut. A really wonderful value at our February Sale price.



3-Piece Overstuffed Suite

Reduced to **$79**

This suite has loose cushion seats and spring construction. It consists of davenport and two large arm chairs, upholstered in a good grade of tapestry. Built to last a lifetime.

Solid Mahogany Gateleg Table

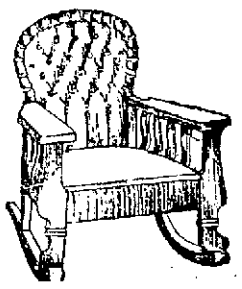
Reduced to..... **$29**

This table is made of solid mahogany throughout. It is 48 inches long when open. This is one of the greatest values ever offered by any store for a solid mahogany gateleg table.

Chiffonier

Reduced to..... **$10.75**

This chiffonier is solidly built of genuine golden oak and is very nicely finished. It has five large drawers. At this remarkably low price it is a rare bargain.



Rocker

Reduced to..... **$9.25**

This large, comfortable rocker has wide arms and heavy, well-built frame. It is very nicely upholstered in imitation leather. It will be hard to find this rocker at anywhere near our sale price.

REED CHAIR

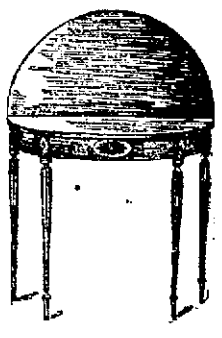
Reduced to..... **$6.95**

There is always room in every home for one of these roomy, comfortable chairs. The seat and back are upholstered in a pretty figured tapestrona. Special for our February Sale.

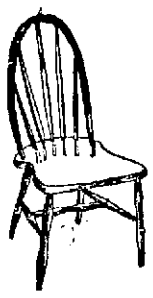
CONSOLE and CARD TABLE

This table is an exact reproduction; has inlaid decoration and fluted legs. Handsomely built of mahogany in combination with other hardwoods. A fine Colonial table useful in many different ways. Reduced for our February Sale to

$32.50



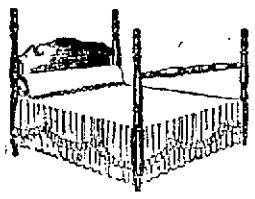
Our Entire Stock of Bedding is Offered at Greatly Reduced Prices



WINDSOR CHAIR

Reduced to..... **$6.95**

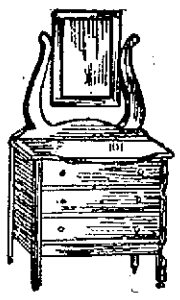
A charming reproduction, offered at a very low price for our February Sale.



Four-Poster Bed

Reduced to..... **$22.50**

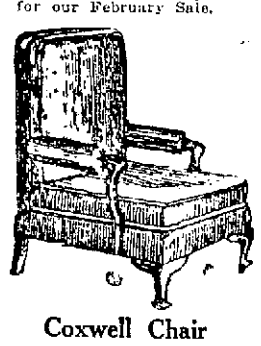
This four-poster bed is made of the best quality mahogany in combination with other hard woods. These Colonial reproductions never go out of date and fit in well with odd bedroom pieces. The price has been greatly reduced for this sale.



Dresser

Reduced to..... **$12.95**

This handsome genuine golden oak dresser has large mirror and three spacious drawers. Be sure to see this amazing value.



Coxwell Chair

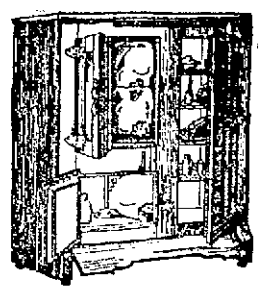
Reduced to..... **$37.50**

This chair combines beauty and excellent taste with solid comfort. Upholstered in a fine grade of velour. No single piece adds so much to a living room as a Coxwell chair. A rare bargain at our February Sale price.

Metal Art Lamp

Reduced to..... **$4.75**

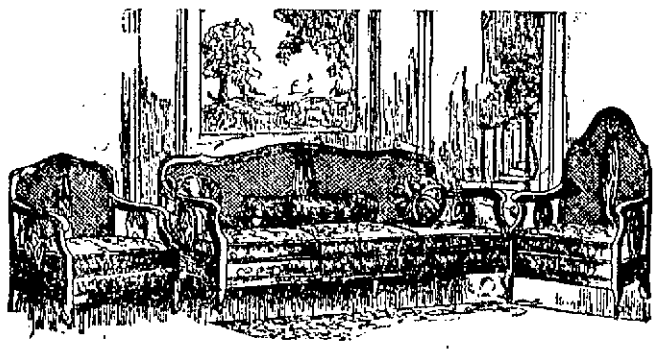
Completely equipped, including wire and plug ready to attach to any electric light socket. Marked very low for our February Sale.



White Mt. Refrigerator

Reduced to..... **$29**

Popular patterns, hardwood case, lacquer baked snow-white provision compartment, sanitary shelves, holds 75 lbs. of ice, stands 42 inches high. Absolutely guaranteed. You will pay much more this Spring.



3-Piece Cane Living Room Suite

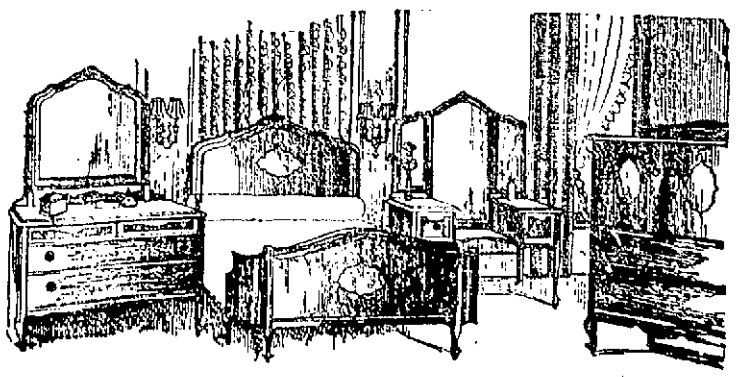
Reduced to **$149**

Consisting of arm chair, high back chair and davenport, upholstered in genuine cut velour. All three pieces are large; built for solid comfort and long service. The frames are solidly constructed of hardwood and finished to resemble mahogany. The low February Sale price includes two pillows and bolster.

10-Piece Dining Room Suite

Reduced to **$229**

This suite is solidly constructed on massive lines in the pleasing Tudor period style of walnut in combination with other hardwoods. It consists of spacious 60-inch buffet, oblong extension table, china closet with glass panels, serving table, host chair and five side chairs with genuine leather seats. A very high grade suite at a specially low price



4-Piece Chamber Suite

Reduced to **$119**

This suite is very finely made of walnut in combination with other choice cabinet woods. It consists of bow-foot bed, large dresser, chiffonette and semi-vanity case. It is very beautifully finished in two-tone effect. Greatly reduced for our February Sale.

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THE G. O. P. OIL SCANDALS

It must be plain to the nation at large that the republican party as it exists at the present time stands in great need of a general house cleaning. It is sinking in a quagmire of political corruption from which even President Coolidge, who is trying to save his party, may not be able to escape.

The scandals of the Veterans' Bureau did not subside when that of Teapot Dome broke over the heads of the leaders in Washington. It directly involves two cabinet officers, Attorney General Daugherty and Secretary Denby of the navy department. Senator Hiram Johnson tries to cast the responsibility upon President Coolidge; but in the subordinate position of vice president when the oil leases were negotiated, it was hardly to be expected that he would interfere with the negotiations which at that time seemed to be above board.

Now, however, the inside facts appear and there are indications of corruption in which former Secretary Fall of the interior department and Secretary Denby of the navy are directly implicated. There is suspicion regarding the transfer of the leasing power from the navy department to the interior, and there is good reason to suspect corruption in the amounts of money paid by the Sinclair oil interests to Mr. Fall on the head of his ranch subsequent to the grant of the Teapot Dome lease.

The resignation of Secretary Denby is called for and Daugherty, the attorney general, has been criticized by the president in hiring two eminent lawyers to prosecute the guilty parties.

In this step President Coolidge hopes to avert the damaging political effect of the exposure upon his own political standing and that of his party.

How can any party go before the country with any hope of success while smeared all over with this oil scandal, following close on the heels of the disgraceful revelations of the Veterans' bureau?

To Senator Walsh of Montana, a staunch democrat, belongs the credit of exposing the corrupt deals by which the government oil reserves were leased out. It is but reasonable to expect that these scandals will turn public sentiment against the republican party and cause the electorate to bury it in defeat at the next national election. The administration at Washington has proved a great disappointment in every sense; and we think it calls for action and address to incapacity. It is clearly the duty of the people to drive it from power. It looks now as if the republican party will pass out under a cloud of corruption.

THE DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATES

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four cents in the state of Arkansas. An effort has recently been made to adopt a tax of [illegible] cents per gallon in [illegible] and the measure has been held up by a referendum which will come before the voters in the state election next fall. [illegible] very little [illegible] that it will be adopted. [illegible] part of [illegible] may be collected from this tax [illegible] need for keeping the highways in good condition. Nevertheless [illegible] owners of motor vehicles [illegible] the tax is unfair [illegible] claim to be paying [illegible] special taxes on the motor vehicle [illegible] registration, operators' [illegible] licenses, truck charges. Only [illegible] the Union have [illegible] the gasoline tax, and it is [illegible] most of these will fall [illegible] repeal either this year [illegible] one of the reasons why the [illegible] is that the large motor [illegible] contribute to the highway expenditures [illegible] sometimes and [illegible] states in general [illegible] be expected to contribute to a special tax on the upkeep of the highways. The speech will have to decide [illegible] their votes next fall.

GOOD WILL ASSET

[illegible] the company's [illegible] dollars. "Good [illegible]." It is, to a [illegible] what operative is to the business.

[illegible] may have its last dollar invested in what it owns. But [illegible] its reputation for [illegible] and men, there is still [illegible] with people. Reputation is the long term of wealth.

SCHWAB OPTIMISTIC

[illegible] numerous steel [illegible] a sort in building, [illegible] but one where the [illegible] demand did not [illegible] the capacity of the mill, long before we expected. [illegible] to be afraid to be relaxed."

It is most [illegible] to plan on [illegible] a scale in this rapidly growing country of ours. Does Frost, is the [illegible] of the [illegible] business man.

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What will certainly be a rousing [illegible] held in the Mechanics' hall, Boston, next Saturday afternoon, in advance of the hour for the World war veterans. Walsh, Senator Walsh, General Edwards, Mayor Curley and several high [illegible] officials are expected to be present. The occasion will give the movement for a bonus a fresh impetus. The veterans are entitled to the bonus; but the chief [illegible] is that to meet the responsibility now, would prevent [illegible] tax reduction that is absolutely necessary to relieve the people from the intolerable tax burdens and restore business activity throughout the country.

William H. Anderson, former head of the Anti-saloon League in New York, convicted of perjury in a New York court. It was one of the most disgraceful denouncers of the violators of the liquor law while he himself was perhaps more guilty than those whom he denounced.

Great Britain moves for a resumption of good relations with France and the move is sympathetically received by Premier Poincare but this does not mean that France is to get out of the Ruhr.

The big auto show at the Memorial Auditorium is on. It never attempted in this city. It will fail to interest everybody who is concerned in the progress of the times.

It is proposed in Connecticut to disfranchise violators of the prohibition law. That would cause a great stump in the voter population if generally enforced.

The Lowell delegation in the legislature should rally behind the bill for clearing the Merrimack from the lower Concord.

The administration at Washington is too busy engaged in the oil scandal to devote any attention to the industrial depression.

Norway leads thus far in the Olympics at Chamonix, France, which is a high honor for Norway.

SEEN AND HEARD

There's more truth than poetry in the majority of verses.

Looking back over a waste of years doesn't get you anywhere.

Tom Riley tells this one: When the doctor arrived he found the patient in tears. "Cheer up, my good man," he said, "you'll pull through all right." "Tisn't that, Doc," groaned the patient, "but just think of the money I've spent buying apples to keep you away."

A newspaper of St. Petersburg, Fla., in its issue of Jan. 12 carried the notice: "Free today, don't pay." It was the 72d time the paper had been without price to readers, although it has had a standing offer for more than 33 years to give its copies away when the sun declines to show itself to the "Sunshine City."

A Thought

Not only is there an art in knowing a thing, but also a certain art in teaching it. Cicero.

Many Telephone Talks

During the year 1921, the number of telephone conversations in the United States totalled 17,526,000,000 or an average of 48,000,000 a day. In France, where the telephone system is operated by the government, and is much less developed than in this country, there were only 662,624,000 connections in 1921, a daily average of but 1,815,000.

Purist Squelched

On a southern train a drummer was speaking with enthusiasm about his home city. "My town is on the boom," he declared. "She is a great little town." There was a purist in the smoker. He sniffed and demanded: "Why do you say 'she' is a great little town? Would it not be equally proper to say 'he' is a great little town?" "I don't think so," "Give me a reason." "I came from Charlotte."

Felt Complimented

It was in traffic court. The officer told his story briefly, stepped down and the defendant stepped up. The judge took him in hand. "The officer says you were going 40 miles an hour." "Very well, your honor." The judge, visibly nonplused by this, looked him over keenly. "Hum. You are the first motorist I ever saw who did not seem angry with the officer." "Well, it's the first compliment ever paid my old bus."

The Smile's Value

"Consider the smile, my son," admonished old Grandpa Pennywise. "A smile is much more than a pleasing facial contortion. It will smooth your way through life. It may get you a promotion or win a wife for you. The smile makes sales for the merchant and brings the professional man along his helpful way. You can actually draw a salary on a smile. Keep this in mind the next time you visit the theatre. Many a successful vaud-ville player has no other stock in trade."

Her Favorite

Miss Teachem, wishing to arouse the interest of her Sunday school class, asked them each to write down the name of their favorite hymn. All the pupils bent their heads over pencil and paper for a few minutes, and then handed in their slips. All that is to say, except Mary. "Come, Mary," the teacher said, "write down the name of your favorite hymn and bring the paper to me." Mary wrote and, with downcast eyes and flaming cheeks, handed the teacher a slip of paper bearing the words: "Willis Smith."—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Very Embarrassing

Mary Ellen, a country girl, on her first visit to London, boarded an omnibus. Presently the conductor came up to her and said: "Your fare, miss." The girl blushed. The conductor repeated, "Your fare, miss," and the girl blushed more deeply. By this time the conductor began to look foolish. After a pause he tried again: "Miss, your fare?" "Well," said the girl, "they do say I'm good looking at home, but I don't see why you want to say it out loud before all these people."

Love's Values

A pencil dull, a broken toy,
A little worn-out shoe,
Keepsakes recalling vanished joy
In days when they were new,
A faded rose with broken stem
They have no quoted worth.
No one would give a cent for them;
I wouldn't take the earth.

A picture drawn with childish hands,
A little note to say
That love a little heart commands
And shall command alway—
More dear than gold or diadem.
On all a planet's girth.
—No one would give a cent for them;
I wouldn't take the earth.

CLARENCE E. FLYNN in Farm Life.

THE MAN ABOUT TOWN

Although the augmented army recruiting party on duty here is not producing any astounding results, it is doing considerable to create more civic pride in the nation's military establishment. The men added to the local permanent party for a special drive are all soldierly in appearance and inspire a high degree of confidence that the army which has so dwindled in size in the past half-decade is still the same in spirit, discipline and smartness.

Lowell business in comfortable buyers would resent it if you called them laggards as about the same today as it was a year ago at this time. A reporter for The Sun this morning visited the cigar stores and the candy and soda stores. In each store he asked the proprietor or manager to look at his books and compare his January business to date with his January business of a year ago.

In the cigar stores only two had to look. The others had the figures at their finger tips. Allowing for the variations of the various business than for this month, for total receipts, has proven better to the dot what it was during the month of January a year ago.

"But we're working harder for it," was the sad of the remarks. To prove it they showed that more money has been spent by them this month for advertising and more specials have been made up to attract the buyers than was the rule a year ago.

Special sales of overcoats, well advertised have attracted good throngs to boost to the local clothing stores, according to the stores today indicated. The preference of buyers seems to be more for topcoats for spring wear than for the heavy winter garments despite the fact that the clothiers' drive is particularly with the view to unload the heavier material.

Advices have been particularly attractive to the sales, buying craze of snappy appearance without much regard as to warmth properties, dealers say. The business in each is said to be the best since several weeks prior to Christmas. The cold snap over the week end drove many buyers to the stores and Monday and Tuesday were especially productive of sales, although Saturday ranked as an extremely good day.

One man who has faith in the future of Lowell business was found today, located in a side street not far from the square. This merchant has a small store for which he was paying $90 a month rent. His lease had two years to run at that figure when this noon he voluntarily broke it and signed a new ten-year agreement with the owner to pay $110 a month.

"Did you do it because you were frightened by talk that the property may be sold?" he was asked by a Sun reporter.

"No, of course I thought of that, but I figured the rates would surely come anyhow and perhaps be for a shorter term at even an increased figure. Things are bound to pick up, and believe me, brother, I'm going to be doing business at the same old stand when they do."

That's something for the folks pessimistic as to the business future to ponder on.

A message to members of the American Legion in Massachusetts is conveyed from Maj. Gen. Clarence R. Edwards in the form of a word to the new manual of post Americanism activities, just issued. He says:

"My definition of an American, after my experience in France, is the kind of a lad who would march up under our colors as quick as a bunch of machine gun nests and die with a smile on his face, as I saw thousands of them do, wherever they were born or wherever their parents were born. I believe this epitomizes the kind of Americanism we want, which I would like to believe is in the hearts of all the foreign born, the kind that solves our problem of amalgamation and assimilation. That sacred kind of fraternity is what the legion should work for in these peace times."

The booklet is a short manual containing instructions for local posts on the conduct of Americanism activities. It is prepared by the state department's Americanism committee in response to the resolution made at the Marblehead convention last year. John J. Walsh of Lowell is a member of this committee. A part of the booklet, devoted to "Etiquette," is chiefly instructive and interesting. Suggestions for holiday activities, all of a practical nature and proven from the experiences of various posts, are also made.

FOR W. W. VETERANS

Mr. Rogers Submits Bill to Increase Funeral Allowance to $200

Special to the Sun

Washington, D. C., Jan. 31.

Congressman Rogers of Massachusetts has introduced a bill increasing from $100 to $200 the allowance made for the burial of World War veterans. The measure is approved by Secretary of War Weeks, Director Hines of the Veterans Bureau and the American Legion. The allowance of $100 was considered altogether too meagre.

Mr. Rogers presented Edmund J. Cheney of the Massachusetts Bureau of Correction to President Coolidge today. RICHARDS.

SEPARATE TOWNSHIP OR ANNEXATION

Citizens of North and West Chelmsford plan to rally in the recreation hall at Silesia mills tomorrow evening, to discuss the question: "Separate Township or Annexation to Lowell?" The meeting, planned several weeks ago, is to be conducted under the auspices of the Silesia Mills Athletic association. Agent Bernard F. Gilmore of the North Chelmsford Woolen mills, active member of the athletic association, and interested in village improvements of many kinds, will be on hand to lead the discussions.

Interest in the problem of town improvements and various matters affecting North Chelmsford civic conditions, has rapidly increased since the announcement in The Sun several weeks ago that prominent citizens were prepared to fight for better treatment from the town fathers in the way of town betterments, or secession from the Chelmsford corporation would follow.

The voters of North and West Chelmsford mean business today. Representative Achin's bill calling for the annexation of part of the Lowell surrounding towns, has awakened Chelmsford citizens to their opportunity.

Taxpayers of North Chelmsford set forth the facts that the town government has been scanty in appropriating money for better highways and village improvements in other directions so far as the north end of the township is concerned. The community loses in attractiveness what has been given to Chelmsford Centre, the townsmen say.

As reported in The Sun's special story of recent date, Agent Gilmore, leading the present movement to have North Chelmsford given better treatment by the town government in the future or explain the reason why, declares for a lower tax rate, better streets and sidewalks, better schooling facilities and a sewerage system. The latter problem is one that must be met without delay, according to Mr. Gilmore, and the citizens of North Chelmsford agree with him.

At tomorrow night's rally of the electorate, plans will be made for the organization of "The North Chelmsford Village Improvement Association."

Exactly 171 names of new voters were registered in North Chelmsford district alone, last week, when the board of registrars held regular sessions. Agent Gilmore announces that the Silesia mills will be closed Monday afternoon, Feb. 11, to enable employes to perform their duties in town meeting and also cast their ballots for town officers.

CUTTING ICE ON THE MERRIMACK RIVER

Miss Martina Gage's confident prediction in The Sun last week that ice cutting on the Merrimack river would probably start this week, was prophesy correct. First cutting has started on the river just above Pawtucket dam, only a small gang of ice cutters beginning operations. The ice is thinner than some harvested in past seasons, but the Gage people are to take no chances and will continue harvesting the present fields as long as possible.

N. E. NURSERYMEN MEET

James J. McManmon of Dracut Takes Active Part in Boston Meeting

James J. McManmon, of Dracut, took a vigorous part in the opening proceedings of the New England Nurserymen's association, held in Boston yesterday. The well known nurseryman, leading an all-members' vigorous protest against the expenditures of public funds for the purchase of foreign nursery stock in preference to home-grown hit a popular chord. Toward the close of a session devoted to discussion of a national botanic garden at Washington, plant registration and horticultural legislation among many other things close to nature, a storm broke in the convention of the Nurserymen's association in progress at Hotel Bellevue.

Edward W. Bred of Clinton, well known horticulturist, presented to those gathered for the thirteenth annual meeting the matter of James R. Shea, chairman of the Boston park commissioners, sailing on February 16 next for Europe to purchase 800 "true English elms and European Hudens," which are to be planted in Boston parks as a memorial to hero citizens who lost their lives in the World war.

Immediately upon Mr. Bred's reading of this plan, approved by Mayor James J. Curley of Boston and carrying an item of $900 for the expense of the foreign tree junket, delegates to the meeting, led by Florist McManmon, took the floor and in no uncertain terms expressed themselves upon the merits of foreign and American trees, both as to relative values and as memorials to American dead. They then passed a resolution condemning the city of Boston's procedure and appointed a committee of three to call upon Mayor Curley to ask reconsideration of the project.

The resolution of protest was introduced by Mr. McManmon and read as follows:—

"Resolved, that the New England Nurserymen's association protest the action of the city of Boston in sending to Europe to purchase foreign trees to perpetuate the memory of Boston soldiers killed in the World war, as it is a matter of common knowledge that American species are less liable to be attacked by foreign insects, such as the browed moth and the elm leaf beetle, which raise havoc with such trees on the American continent, and that American trees can be purchased at considerably less cost.

"It is also moved that copies of this resolution be sent to Mayor Curley, the federal horticultural board in Washington and to the American Legion."

The committee appointed to call upon Mayor Curley consists of Richard M. Wyman of Framingham, vice president elect for 1924; Christian van der Voet, superintendent of the Arnold Arboretum, and Harlan P. Kelsey of Salem, president of the National Association of Nurserymen. Each of these men including Mr. McManmon, took the floor in spirited opposition to the proposed Shea purchase.

MORE GOOD WORK BY THE POLICE

The speedy recovery of a pocketbook containing $50 that had been lost in this city by a young Manchester, N. H., woman was effected last night by Police Lieut. Patrick J. Frawley.

The young woman discovered her loss at the corner of Dutton and Merrimack streets on her way to the depot and, not knowing the city, she was unable to inform the lieutenant where the purse might have been lost except that she had been a passenger on either a Highland or Westford street car. Lt. Frawley remembered seeing a Highland car pass Dutton street only a few minutes before. He commandeered an automobile and with the young woman started in pursuit of the car.

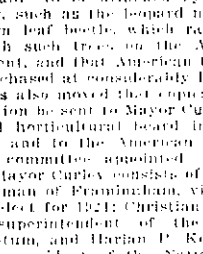
At Coral and Westford streets the electric car was overtaken. Lt. Frawley questioned the operator and learned that a passenger had picked up the pocketbook and turned it over to him. After proving ownership the pocketbook was given to the young woman who was profuse in her thanks to both the police lieutenant and the car operator.

WALKER-ROGERS POST MEETINGS

Walker Rogers Post No. 862, Veterans of Foreign Wars, is to hold regular meetings in the future on different dates from the former semi-monthly schedule. Due announcements of all coming meetings will be announced through the press.

Many former service men in Lowell will be directly or indirectly affected if the several Massachusetts legislative bills concerning world war veterans' relief go through. The veterans' organizations now have an adequate legislative committee looking after all resolves and measures affecting the ex-soldiers' welfare. National headquarters of the V. of F. W. will shortly announce its legislative program, having been active since the last encampment on bills that will aid disabled ex-service men.

Commander David F. Caddell has just issued circulars to all post members, advising them to remember and do their share cheerfully in all organization work of the future. Past Commander George D. Crowell is a busy man these days, keeping in close touch with Walker-Rogers post members at all times as of old.



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CURRENT EVENTS LECTURES

Mrs. Claude U. Gilson will give a course of six talks on current events on Tuesday mornings, beginning February 12 and continuing through March 18 at 10.15 in Middlesex Hall. Tickets are $3.50 for the course and can be secured from Mrs. Hayden Pillsbury, 267 Nesmith street. Telephone 653-W. The lectures are given for the benefit of the Lowell Guild.

BERTON BRALEY'S DAILY POEM

A MATTER OF ETIQUETTE

When first they met each other he was four and she was three,
And they hadn't read the Book of Etiquette;
He was very, very friendly, but no friendlier than she,
And they hadn't read the Book of Etiquette.
So without an introduction they made friends, as children will,
And they went to school together through their childhood days, until
They both started off to college—they were quite grown up, but still
They hadn't read the Book of Etiquette.

He took her out to dances and he took her out to plays,
And they hadn't read the Book of Etiquette;
They were married to each other in their graduation days,
And they hadn't read the Book of Etiquette.
She was quite a dainty housewife and a mighty clever cook,
And they had six lovely children in their snug suburban nook;
Then one day she got a copy of a justly famous book,
'Twas a copy of the Book of Etiquette.

Now the wife is out in Reno, she has left her little roost,
For at last she's read the Book of Etiquette;
She's been living with a husband who was never introduced,
Which was frowned on by the Book of Etiquette.
When the lie that binds is severed, she'll undoubtedly essay
To re-meet her former husband in a mete and proper way,
And they'll then proceed to courtship and a second wedding day,
All according to the Book of Etiquette.

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CORK ELECTS ANOTHER REPUBLICAN MAYOR

CORK, Jan. 31.—"Rebel Cork" has elected another republican mayor to succeed Lord Mayor Donald O'Callaghan, who recently resigned. The new municipal executive is John French not long ago released from prison. French received 23 of the city council's votes against 22 polled by Councillor Egan, a supporter of the Irish Free State.

R. R. DOUBLES DETECTIVE FORCE

ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 31.—An order issued from offices of the Delaware and Hudson railroad here, directs that the detective force be doubled on all Delaware and Hudson trains leaving Montreal. Broken windows and seats and general damage to cars has been caused by intoxicated persons leaving the Canadian city, the order said, and it is desired to protect the company's property from further destruction. The order was said to apply particularly to the southbound "sleeper."

Over eighty thousand readers daily will have an opportunity to read your ad if you place it in The Sun, Lowell's greatest advertising medium.

Final Clearance Sale

This final sale climax is a most sensational value-giving event of paramount importance to you with its immense money-saving opportunities. To miss this sale is a lost bargain opportunity that can never be recalled.

Come Early!—See These Sensational Sale Offerings—Save

Coats, Suits, Silk Dresses, Cloth Dresses, Jackets, Skirts $10 Values to $30.00

$97.50 Plain and Fur Trimmed Coats for $59.50
$79.50 Plain Coats only $47.50
$50.00 Fur Trimmed Sport Coats (3 only) for $25
$8.00 Sport Skirts $4.75

All Silk and Cloth Dresses at tremendous reductions for this final clearance sale.

Fur Coats and Fur Scarfs reduced to vast price for a quick clearance.

NOTE—Owing to the tremendous reductions we will be obliged to make a small charge for alterations. All sales are final. No exchanges During this sale.

Nevery's Fashion Shop
55 CENTRAL STREET
5th floor Central Block
Over Nelson's 5 and 10¢ Store Value elevator to your floor

VALVES — Hoffmans, Airid, Russell, Globe, Gate, Radiator, etc.

Pipe Covering and Cement

SINKS—White Enameled, Roll Rim, Flat Rim, Plain.

CLOSET SEATS—White, Light Oak, Dark Oak, Cherry and Mahogany.

PLUMBING and HEATING SUPPLIES

Welch Bros. Co.

73 Middle St., Lowell, Mass.

ACCEPTS CALL TO FIRST UNIVERSALIST CHURCH

Rev. Harold W. Haynes of Beverly today accepted a call to the pastorate of the First Universalist church of Lowell and will come to the city about March 1st. At present he is pastor of the First Universalist church of the North Shore city and is known as a forceful leader and a man of splendid organization ability.

The board of assessors of the local church first made overtures to Rev. Mr. Haynes about a month ago and a call was definitely sent to him three weeks ago, but his acceptance was not received until today.

HAMILTON CO. PASSES DIVIDEND

Optimism still reigns on Jackson street, though dividends are all.

Hamilton Manufacturing company has omitted its regular dividend due to be declared at this time. The Lowell textile corporation has been paying one per cent. quarterly.

The pausing of the January payment, hitherto made regularly to large numbers of stockholders residing in many sections of New England, will cause no surprise. For months past, the Jackson street textile mills have been operating under most unfavorable conditions, with running schedules limited to three days.

Hopeful though the directors of the venerable Lowell industrial concern are that present conditions will soon change for the better, it was decided to withhold dividend payments for the time being.

The following notice has been issued to all stockholders this week:

"Owing to the present disturbed and unfavorable conditions of the markets, both for our raw materials and for our products (which conditions, it is hoped, are mending), the directors of the Hamilton Manufacturing company have thought it the proper conservative course to defer action on the dividend."

There is $3,600,000 of Hamilton stock outstanding.

Small lot sales of Hamilton securities have sold earlier in the winter as high as 59 and 52. Today the stock is quoted on the Boston unlisted securities market as "16 bid, 18 asked." A few sales were reported on the mill stock brokers' boards Monday at an average of 16.

EVANGELISTS BANQUETED

Members of the Demarest Evangelical party were banqueted last night at the Central Baptist church by the Willing Workers' class of the church. About 60 guests were present at the banquet. Several members of the Demarest party, including Mrs. Demarest, addressed the gathering and told of the intimate details connected with their work.

The New Freely-Lathering
Cuticura Shaving Stick
For Tender Faces
EMOLLIENT MEDICINAL ANTISEPTIC

Mothers know a dose of
DR. CALDWELL'S
SYRUP PEPSIN
Will keep them fit

'First Aid' For Sick Children

THE experienced mother is not alarmed when a child becomes sick. She knows that most of the ailments of childhood are trifling. If it seems serious she calls a doctor, but whether or not she calls him she gives, first of all, a good laxative medicine. The doctor would advise that anyway. It is his "first aid." Such experienced mothers as Mrs. Everett E. Hunt of Belzoni, Okla., who has three children and never any sickness, and Mrs. F. B. Kuklenski of Prosser, Wash., always give Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin at the first indication of sickness. Such timely doses have saved them much worry.

The Meaning of "Good"

All doctors agree that a thorough cleaning out of the bowels is of first importance for it removes dangerous intestinal poisons. They will also advise a "good laxative," and by "good" they mean one that is effective and yet harmless. They know that there are physics that never should be given to children – calomel, which is mercury and loosens the teeth; phenolphthalein, a coal-tar drug that causes skin trouble; salts, which concentrate the blood and dry up the saliva. They consider Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin safe for all ages as they know it is a simple vegetable compound of Egyptian senna with pepsin and agreeable aromatics. The formula is on the package.

Give Laxative for Colds

Adults should have at least one movement of the bowels every 24 hours, and children two or three. Failure to have it means constipation, then headache, biliousness, drowsiness, lack of appetite. Give a dose of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin at bedtime, and there will be health and good feeling by morning. A dose costs less than a cent, and a bottle can be had at any drug store. Colds and constipation come together, so if you notice coughing or sneezing stop it at once with Syrup Pepsin.

If You Want to Try It Free Before Buying

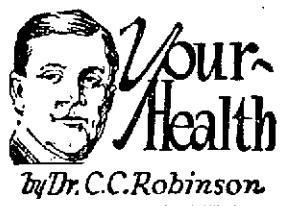
"Syrup Pepsin," 517 Washington St., Monticello, Illinois.

I need a good laxative and would like to prove what you say about Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin by actual test. Send me a free trial bottle. Address to

Name.....

Address.....

Not more than one free trial bottle to a family



Your Health

by Dr. C. C. Robinson

CHRONIC NEPHRITIS

Chronic nephritis is a disease of the kidneys when the process is in the stage of sclerosis, atrophy and contraction, whatever may have been the primal cause.

Two important reasons for the prevalence of chronic nephritis (Bright's disease) which takes a death toll of about 26,000 each year in the United States, are:

First, the disease is caused from some bacterial infection from an earlier attack of some disease.

Second, it is due in many cases to a high use of protein foods (meats) and animal products. Arterio sclerosis, or hardening of the smaller arteries and general contraction of the kidneys, is another cause.

When infection is clear the cause the primal agents were mainly tonsilitis and scarlet fever. Even though the attack may be light, the most careful and skillful treatment is necessary to ward off any future attacks on the kidneys from the poison of these destroyers.

Abuse of protein requirements in probably 75 per cent. of people in the temperate latitudes is a strong cause of indictment against chronic nephritis. Europeans and people of the United States and Canada consume far larger amounts of protein in the form of meat or animal food, than do the races of tropical countries. Tropical people are far more temperate in their eating, and rarely, if ever, suffer death from chronic nephritis.

The common habit of over eating throws far too much work on the kidneys, and excessive work of this sort weakens any organs or glands to the danger point of disease and trophied condition. The sensible diet is a strong weapon with which to fight off chronic nephritis. Vary your diet with vegetables and fruits and vegetable oils whenever possible. They act as a strong counter-balance to the protein foods.

Do not on any account, if you believe yourself afflicted with chronic nephritis, dose yourself with some medicine that claims to be a kidney cure. Such treatment is usually of no value and often causes real harm to the over-worked kidneys.

TURKEY SUPPER BY LADIES' AID SOCIETY

A turkey supper prepared by the Ladies' Aid society of the Matthews Memorial church was served at the first annual banquet of the Dorcas class held in the social hall of the church last night. The following program of entertainment was given at the conclusion of the banquet:

Hymn, by all; prayer, Rev. J. T. Ulfom; piano solo, J. Edward Leith; selection, male quartet, John Pooler, N. W. Matthews, Jr., Fred Potter and Richard W. Potter; violin solo, Graham Pascall; remarks, Rev. John T. Ulfom; solo, N. W. Matthews, Jr.; cornet solo, Robert F. Smith; solo, selected, John Pooler; remarks, R. C. Campbell; solo, selected, Arthur Hiley; closing hymn, "Blest Be the Tie That Binds," assembly. The accompanist was J. Edward Leith.

Mrs. N. W. Matthews is the class teacher and the officers are as follows: Miss Isabel Caldwell, president; Mrs. Clement Haines, vice president, Mrs. Robert Smith, secretary; Mrs. N. W. Matthews, treasurer.

MIDDLESEX NORTH MEDICAL SOCIETY

The quarterly meeting of the Middlesex-North Medical society was held at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon at St. John's hospital and was attended by about 75 physicians. Dr. James B. O'Connor presided.

"The Heart in Hypertension," was the subject discussed by the speaker of the evening, Dr. James F. O'Hare of the Peter Brent Brigham hospital of Boston.

The question of the recent practice of medicine by persons in various localities who lacked the proper authority to do so was discussed at length and at the close President O'Connor appointed the following committee to investigate unauthorized practice of medicine: Dr. T. A. Stamas, Dr. J. A. Meehan, Dr. G. F. Martin, Dr. W. P. Jackson, Dr. M. L. Alling and Dr. J. B. O'Connor, ex-officio.

At the close of the session the members sat down to a bountiful dinner served by the Lydon Catering Co.

MEN ARRESTED HERE HELD IN $500 EACH

Joseph C. Ross and Maurice Gagnon were arraigned in Lawrence district court yesterday for larceny of an auto and were held in $500 each for the May session in Newburyport of the Essex county superior court. The two were arrested in Lowell last Monday through the vigilance and attention to duty of Policeman Owen S. Conway.

The arrest was made after a spectacular chase through Belvidere streets. At the time they were riding in a car stolen from a Haverhill resident the Saturday previous. Officers Conway and Dan Lynch appeared in Lawrence yesterday as witnesses for the state.

The Automobile Show

Continued

fness man when it comes down to life's preferred vocation.

Mr. Fuller is always delighted to come to Lowell, particularly when his errand of official duty has a colorful aspect with motor cars in the background. The Lowell automobile dealer's distinguished guest this evening is just as well at home in a setting in which automobiles predominate. Plans for the gubernatorial reception were completed yesterday afternoon.

Continuous Attendance

Yesterday's attendance at the auto show was not a record-breaker, but there was a continuous novelty performance shown by the method of "taking in the show." The Auditorium doors were thrown open before 10 a. m. and automobile fans of both sexes came along regularly up to the noon hour.

The luncheon booths, spic and span, with pretty feminine trimmings, alert to wait upon all customers and serve dainty viands and warm drinks were better patronized than they were on Tuesday. In the afternoon, the visitors came along more steadily, without crowding at all, but making a continuous procession from parked cars to the Auditorium main entrance and within.

The middle afternoon brought more suburbanites—for this was really "Suburban Day"—and the evening hours up to "lights out" found the automobile show parade lines alive with humanity. Hundreds of visitors, enjoying the orchestral concert and the hum of voices of men and women that had a vitalizing quality to it, in marked measure, retired to the balcony and sat down to survey to better advantage, perhaps, the beautiful motor car spectacle on the floor below. For one of the best views of the 1924 automobile show can be had from the balcony.

Novelties in improved motor car accessories exhibited in the "up stairs circle," one flight up, are attracting even as much attention as the shiny new vehicles on the Auditorium floor. There are booths filled with new parts and improved attachments that readily catch the eye. The list ranges from new manifolds and headlights, to timers and batteries made in Lowell; tires galore, shiny electrical devices for speedy lighting car interiors, special curtains, special trunk carriers, adjustable extra seats and a host of other new idea allurements.

Automobile experts from various parts of the country are visiting the Lowell show this year, taking more interest in the local dealers' exposition of everything now in motor cars than ever before.

One-third more visitors to the show this year in three first days, than were chronicled over at the Kasino in the first three days last season.

Excellent Policing

Busy is the word with the squad of Lowell policemen in dress uniforms, who are performing assigned duties in Auditorium and main entrance corridors in regulation style. The big chief's selections for police duty at the auto show this week, were excellent. Here's the squad, Patrolmen Frank O'Day, "Gilt" Sheridan, "Buddy" Hession and Frank Murphy.

An attractive show corner is the spot where a Hupmobile five-passenger sedan is displayed, bearing a prominent label:—"To be given away by Lowell council, K. of C., at the Auditorium, Feb. 13, 1924."

Tomorrow will be "Chamber of Commerce Day."

ENTIRE STOCK SOLD OUT!

Last Friday and Saturday hundreds of people poured into the store, formerly occupied by E. Gately and Company, 209-211 Middlesex street, to purchase the $10,000 Bankrupt Stock of that company. WHAT A CROWD! and WHAT BARGAINS! Every Article in the Store Was Sold by Saturday Night.

More Good News!

BANKRUPT STOCK

Of E. Gately and Company, 2-4 Hampshire Street, Lawrence, Mass.

BOUGHT OUT BY

SHADDUCK AND NORMANDIN

210-214 MIDDLESEX ST. — LOWELL MASS.

ENTIRE STOCK SOLD AT SACRIFICE PRICES

Starts Friday Morning at 9 O'Clock

209-211 Middlesex Street

SALE POSITIVELY MUST END SATURDAY NIGHT

EVERYTHING MUST GO! COME TOMORROW!

Who says that the True Blue Oakland has more advanced features than other cars?

* * *

Every one who has seen it and examined it.

True Blue
Oakland
SIX
PRODUCT of GENERAL MOTORS

LOWELL OAKLAND CO., 614 Middlesex Street.
Spaces 33 and 34

What To Do For Frail, Feeble, Old People

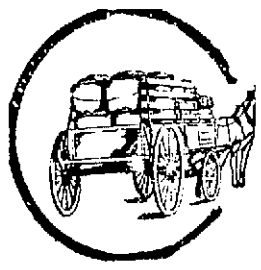
"When age begins to thin the blood all the vital functions slow down and impair the health. In such cases," says Dr. Emil Sauer, "I know of nothing better than true organic iron."

"What old people need most, is something to put back the iron in their blood. Without iron nothing you eat does you any good. Your food merely passes through you. It is the iron in your blood that enables you to get the nourishment out of your food."

"For old people who feel their former strength slipping away, I always prescribe Nuxated Iron, which contains iron like the iron in spinach, lentils and apples and like the iron in your blood. It is a true tonic, blood and body builder, and in my own practice, I have had aged people tell me that they felt years younger often in only a few weeks' time."

Nuxated Iron, recommended above by Dr. Emil Sauer, may be had at any good drug store. Try taking two tablets three times a day for two weeks, and if you do not feel years younger with new strength, energy and health, your own druggist will gladly refund your money.

My, But Coke Orders Are Coming In



Look for Yellow
Wagons and Trucks
Delivering
Lowell Coke

The advertising we are doing telling the story of Lowell Coke is bringing the real Coke message home to the people of Lowell in a manner that is keeping our delivery system rushed with orders.

The fact that we are giving sixty bushels to the ton is causing the thrifty housewife to figure her fuel bills more closely. The more she figures, the more Lowell Coke we sell and then again the fact that

Lowell Coke

has very little ash—none to sift—and a high heat value, as well as being very light to handle, makes it the popular home fuel.

Those who have burned Lowell Coke this winter in the place of other solid fuels, have made a very material saving in their home expenditures.

We have experts who will go to your home to show you just how Lowell Coke should be burned.

'Phone 6790 for a Demonstration.

Lowell Gas Light Company

Victory For Lowell High Basketball Team — Fruzzetti and Norton Ready for Bout

LOWELL HIGH BEATS TOWNSEND

Capt. O'Sullivan Leads Local Quintet to 24 to 13 Victory in Annex

Spectacular Shot by Yafa—Visiting Player Wore Spectacles During Game

The Lowell high school basketball team easily defeated Townsend high last night in the annex. The score was 24 to 13. The game was never in danger, Lowell taking the lead in the first period and retaining it throughout the game.

During the greater part of the game the ball was kept in the Townsend territory but many of the chances for baskets were missed by the local boys through inability to drop the sphere through the net from short distances. The passing and long range shooting displayed by Coach Liston's charges was of the best, however. Townsend's opportunities for baskets were limited as the local defense men were in good form.

Many substitutes were sent in by Lowell to gain experience in an actual contest, one of whom, Yafa, made the prettiest shot of the evening from half way up the side of the floor. Capt. O'Sullivan gave a good exhibition of passing ability, and displayed several flashes of spectacular individual play. Peter Georges secured the high number of baskets with 4 to his credit. Brown and Harvey starred for the visiting team, the latter securing three baskets from the floor and two from the foul line. Harvey wore a mask to protect his spectacles. He is one of the few bespectacled athletes to play basketball.

The score by periods:
1st—Lowell 5, Townsend 2.
2nd—Lowell 12, Townsend 5.
3rd—Lowell 18, Townsend 11.
4th—Lowell 24, Townsend 13.

The lineups and summary:

LOWELL HIGH — TOWNSEND HIGH
O'Sullivan, Carpenter, Simmons, rf
Georges, lf .... rg, Hayward, Drake
lg, Gray
Flaherty, Louris, Dion, c ..... c, Jodfrey
Sutherland, Sullivan, rg ..... lf, Brown
Welch, Cohen, Abodeely, Yafa, lg
rf, Harvey

Score: Lowell 24, Townsend 13. Baskets, Georges 4, Harvey 3, O'Sullivan 2, Brown 2, Louris, Yafa, Carpenter, Cohen, Welch; on fouls, Harvey, Gray, Jodfrey, Cohen, Welch. Referee, Towler. Time, four 8-minute periods.

GUNBOAT JACK TO BOX BILLY WOODS

LAWRENCE, Jan. 31.—Gunboat Jack, the well known K. O. battler of this city, with 18 knockouts to his credit this season, will meet Billy Woods in the main bout of the Manchester, N. H. club on Ferbuary 8. On the 15th he will fight George Drew of Worcester in a main event at Nashua, N. H.

The "gunboat" is now under the management of William Conley of Lawrence, who also has Ray Rancourt, Battling McBride and Battling Tardiff, 140 pound amateur champ, under his wing.

Manager Conley says Matchmaker Woods of Manchester tried to get Phinney Boyle, Martin Flaherty Jr., Johnny Avila, Porky Diggins, Joe St. Hilaire and Sailor Byron, the New England lightweight champion to meet Gunboat but all turned down the opportunity. Hence he was forced to get Woods, who will have a big weight advantage on the Lawrence boy.

ST. ANNE'S TO MEET STRONG TEAM TONIGHT

Despite their loss of Tuesday evening's game in Lawrence, the St. Anne's are not discouraged and will take the floor against the American Glue team tonight confident of annexing their 14th win. Until the recent Lawrence defeat the St. Anne's had won 13 straight games and were going at full speed. Kelley returned to the fold in the last half of the Lawrence game and showed that he had lost none of the old-time pep that made a favorite on the court two years ago. He will probably get into tonight's game.

The entire team is anxious to get the jump on the visiting aggregation tonight. All the players are in good condition and ready to answer the whistle which will announce the beginning of play at 8 o'clock sharp.

HIGHLAND QUINTET TO PLAY IN HAVERHILL

With the championship practically tucked away, the Highland quintet will play its final game in the Merrimack Valley league against the Haverhill "Y" in the down-river city next Saturday night. As the locals have previously defeated the Haverhill outfit, a repeat is looked for on the occasion of the next meeting.

The local boys will exert every energy in the Haverhill tilt to bring their total score up to 1000 points for 25 games. In the 23 games played to date, the Highlands have amassed 950 points, a record in itself. Since organizing, the Highlands have won 21 games, lost 7 and tied one.

SPALLA AT BUENOS AIRES

BUENOS AIRES, Jan. 31.—Erminio Spalla, Italian heavyweight, arrived from Europe today aboard the steamer Pincio, [illegible] from Europe today aboard the steamer [illegible] winner of the Firpo-Lodge fight.

Spalla said he weighed 195 pounds. He has no doubt that Firpo will defeat Lodge and that he in turn will defeat the South American champion.

MOODY CLUB
CRESCENT RINK TONIGHT
10 Rounds
Jimmy Fruzetti, Brockton, vs. Tansey Norton, Roxbury
8 Rounds
Jimmy Reed, Brockton, vs. Barney Ryder, Nashua

BASKETBALL
Lowell Textile vs. St. John's, N. Y.
TEXTILE GYM.
Friday 8 P. M.—Admission 50¢

U. S. HOCKEY TEAM WINS

Defeats England and Clinches First Place in Its End of Draw for Semi-Finals

Yanks Had Little Difficulty in Shutting Out Britishers—Meet Swedes Tomorrow

CHAMONIX, France, Jan. 31.—(By the Associated Press) The American Olympic hockey team, playing under wraps after the first period, defeated England today 11 to 0, clinching first place in its end of the draw and reaching the semi-finals. The Yanks tomorrow play the second team in the upper half, probably Sweden.

The teams lined up as follows:

UNITED STATES	GREAT BRITAIN
Lacroix, g	g, Harris
Abel, ld	ld, Pitblado
Small, rd	rd, Holmes
Drury, c	c, C. Carruthers
Rice, lw	lw, E. Carruthers
McCarthy, rw	rw, Sexton

The Americans opened with a rush, Drury scoring from a pass from Rice, 50 seconds after the period began. The British attack opened against Small at right defense, but he hooked the puck and took it down the ice from in front of his own goal, scoring unaided.

England then moved Pitblado and Holmes into the forward line bringing back E. Carruthers and Sexton. This so stiffened the Britishers' defense that it was only after five minutes of play that Rice, in combination with Drury was able to cage the third goal.

He repeated again a minute later on a longshot from 70 yards off. Drury then scored from a mixup in front of the British goal. Abel ended the tallying, for the period with a brilliant rush straight down the ice. Frank Sinnott, of Boston replaced McCarthy at right wing two minutes before the whistle.

"Precious" Curling Stone

A Scotch member of the English curling team on his way to Chamonix from Davos, Switzerland, was halted at the Swiss frontier by French customs employes who were puzzled by his curling stone.

The French men first consulted the dictionary. Then the official in charge insisted upon charging the Scot a tariff on the ground that he was bringing "a precious stone" into the country. The athlete's explanation, delivered in voluble brogue, only thickened the difficulties.

Finally the station master was appealed to and upon his recommendation the stone was admitted free.

"The Frenchmen had the correct classification at that," the Scot volunteered at the conclusion of the Franco-British match which he was instrumental in winning. Tapping his implement fondly, he added:

"'Tis a precious stone. Indeed, there's none so precious to me.'"

BRITISH SPRINT CHAMP COMING TO AMERICA

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 31.—Eric Liddell of Edinboro University, British 100 and 220-yard sprint champion, will accompany the Cambridge University relay team to this country in April and will compete in the sprint events at the Pennsylvania relay carnival on Franklin field. Word to this effect was received today by Dr. George W. B. Orton, manager of the carnival.

The Scottish sprinter, who set up new British records of 9 7-10 seconds and 21 3-5 seconds, respectively, in winning the 100 and 220 yard titles, will find stiff competition in America in both events. Among the prospective entries are Clarke, of John Hopkins; Bowman of Syracuse; Coulas and Rusnak, Yale; Fisher, Kansas; Irwin, Kansas Agricultural, and Anderson, of the University of Southern California. Most of these men have done the 100 yards in 9 4-5 and are also fast at the furlong distance.

A 220 yard race will be added to the carnival program for Liddell's benefit. SPORTS B

BUD TAYLOR TO MEET PANCHO VILLA

CHICAGO, Jan. 31.—Bud Taylor of Terre Haute, Ind., and Pancho Villa, world's flyweight champion will meet in New York about March 1, according to Eddie Long, manager of the Hoosier boxer. Long says he has been asked by Villa's manager not to close any match after February 15, when Taylor meets Sammy Nable at Indianapolis, and the date for the Villa contest will be settled in a few days.

BATTLING SIKI TO MEET JOE JOHNSON

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Jan. 31.—Battling Siki will meet Joe Lohman in a ten round light heavyweight bout tonight. The contest was originally scheduled for Grand Rapids, Mich., but was transferred when authorities refused to sanction a fight between a negro and a white man.

At the final workouts yesterday, both men impressed observers, but local experts appear to favor Lohman.

YANKS TO HOLD GEHRIG

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Five American league clubs recently refused to give waivers on Lou Gehrig, the Columbia University recruit, when the New York Yankees for the second time sought permission to farm him out for seasoning. Manager Huggins virtually has decided to keep the youngster as a utility infielder, and pinch hitter.

STRIBLING TO BOX SHADE

MACON, Ga., Jan. 31.—Young Stribling, Macon lightweight, has been signed to box Dave Shade in Newark, N. J., March 5, "Pa" Stribling, father-manager, announced last night. "Pa" said Mike McTigue, light heavyweight champion, had refused to sign a contract to meet the youth again.

Jack Johnson to Box

MONTREAL, Jan. 31.—Jack Johnson, former world's heavyweight boxing champion, has passed a rigid physical examination and will be permitted to meet Homer Smith, of Kalamazoo, Mich., here, February 19, it was announced today.

Football Captains Face Difficult Task for the Coming Season

LEFT TO RIGHT: HENDERSON, CORNELL; LOVEJOY, YALE; STEGER, MICHIGAN; LOWER: HARRELL, CALIFORNIA; ROKUSEK, ILLINOIS.

By BILLY EVANS

A big task confronts five star football players recently elected captains of varsity teams for 1924.

They are Henderson of Cornell, Rokusek of Illinois, Lovejoy of Yale, Harrell of California and Steger of Michigan.

In order to equal the records made by these elevens in 1923 the honored leaders must pilot their elevens through an undefeated season. That is some feat in modern football with the open play making the final result so very uncertain.

Only five so-called major elevens went through last season undefeated on the gridiron. Several of the really great teams were the victims of 11th-hour reverses, such as the defeat of Notre Dame by Nebraska and Syracuse by Colgate.

Captain Lovejoy of Yale suffers a severe handicap in the loss of Quarterback Richeson. Considered by many of the experts the best Yale quarterback since the days of Tad Jones, Richeson has played his final game for Yale. He will be missed.

Yale Has Good Prospects

While attending the Yale-Princeton game at New Haven I also had a chance to see the Yale freshmen play Harvard. The Crimson first year team was overwhelmed by a score of better than 50. Previously the Yale team had defeated the Princeton freshmen decisively.

This would make it seem that Yale has much better men to draw on than Princeton and Harvard and should retain its gridiron supremacy over these. And after all, that is what Yale seeks.

Captain Rokusek at Illinois has his work cut out. Halfback Grange was the individual star in the success of Illinois last year. His work was the deciding margin in every victory scored by Zuppke's great team. Will Grange be as good in his second year of Western Conference football? Certainly no one could ask that he be any better. Grange is a marked player next year.

The reserve strength that Michigan uncovered in the backfield last season when injuries forced out a number of stars makes it seem that Coach Yost will be able to turn out another winner despite the loss of some of his best players through graduation.

Smith a Great Coach

For years Coach Andy Smith has had the habit of turning out undefeated teams at California. However, reverses come to the greatest of coaches and captains. Since every coach eleven is pointing to the California game, such a surprise as the defeat of California can be expected.

Last, but not least, is Captain Henderson of Cornell. He succeeds one of the greatest leaders in the history of football, George Pfann. However, Coach Dobie has a habit of turning out winners, which should materially lighten Henderson's task.

WILL YOUNG LOTT BE NEXT WONDER?

CHICAGO, Jan. 30.—Who will be the next boy wonder in tennis? Vincent Richards, though still youthful, has passed on beyond the boy wonder stage and the setting is all arranged for the appearance of another phenom.

At present, the most formidable junior player in the country appears to be George Lott of Chicago, who won both the clay and turf court national junior title last summer.

Lott has a wide assortment of strokes, superb physical qualifications and a splendid competitive temperament.

The young Chicagoan stands at No. 1 position in the national junior ranking.

MELLO AFTER TITLE

Seeks Amateur Welterweight Championship—Fights in Boston Tonight

Al Mello of Lowell with a record of 32 victories out of 41 bouts, is regarded as a strong contender for the amateur welterweight championship.

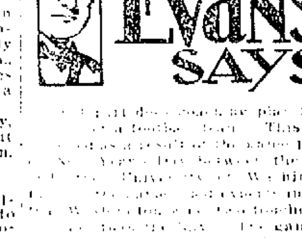
Mello, who is under the management of the aggressive and popular John Souza, is now sought by all amateur boxing promoters and a movement is underway to make him a member of the United States Olympic team.

He will appear in the feature number of the East Boston amateur show this evening, his opponent to be either Joe Mineham or "Hunchy" Beals.

Since entering the boxing game Mello has created a sensation. He started out at the amateur shows run two years ago at the Mass. mills, and his remarkable string of victories soon brought him recognition from all parts of New England.

He points to 21 knockout victories, 11 wins by the decision route and nine reverses, all via decisions. He has never been knocked out and even in the bouts scored against him several of the awards were questionable.

Mello's success in the recent Tri-Cities tournament in Boston when he defeated Otto Polonka of Philadelphia and Ben Haggerty of Pittsburgh, both in sizzling battles, stamped him as a title contender.



[illegible] part does coach [illegible] play in the [illegible] football team. This [illegible] as a result of the game played [illegible] New Year's Day between the Navy and the University of Washington. [illegible] Washington [illegible] coached [illegible] the Navy. [illegible] game [illegible] off [illegible] Washington was accorded second place [illegible] a dozen [illegible] higher ranking than the Navy.

The difference [illegible] according to [illegible] football experts [illegible] the eleven of Washington [illegible] the Navy [illegible] well as the Navy [illegible]

[illegible] and middle west have a decided advantage in coaching [illegible]. The great success that Andy Smith, former University of Pennsylvania star, has had at California makes [illegible] Elmer Henderson, who [illegible] has been [illegible] at University of Southern California. Next fall Glenn Warner, famous eastern mentor, will take up his duties at Stanford. For two years the Warner system has been drilled into Stanford candidates by Andy Kerr, who tutored under Warner.

Now comes University of Oregon with an offer to Coach Hugo Bezdek of Penn State to return to the institution where he first gained fame. Apparently Oregon doesn't intend to take a back seat in football.

Oregon stands ready to pay Bezdek a salary well in advance of the amount that he is receiving at Penn State. All that is necessary to put over the deal is Bezdek's acceptance. Oregon is willing to wait a couple of years if he is tied up to a contract at Penn State that cannot be broken [illegible]. Apparently Oregon [illegible] no intention of permitting California with Andy Smith and Stanford with Glenn Warner to hog the spotlight.

It is a rather [illegible] that Bezdek began his [illegible] career at Oregon in 1916. He started as a player under Stagg [illegible] went west [illegible] football coach [illegible] at Oregon, 1916, [illegible] was filled [illegible] that often [illegible] year. At [illegible] quite ready [illegible] where for [illegible] as assistant [illegible] out many [illegible] celebrations. Bezdek again [illegible] Chicago in 1913 [illegible] was a different [illegible] he had profited by his training under Stagg. He stayed [illegible] with immediate [illegible] until 1917. [illegible] what could [illegible] consider the great [illegible] of all [illegible] elevens, the Oregon team of 1917.

Those who [illegible] signs will doubt [illegible] it out that [illegible] is sure to return to Oregon. [illegible] came to Oregon [illegible] close of the year [illegible] years later in 1913 [illegible] he retired in 1918 [illegible] have elapsed [illegible] Oregon is [illegible] him to return. If he accepts plenty of work is ahead for Andy Smith and Glenn Warner.

JAWSON EXPECTED TO GIVE MURPHY BATTLE

LYNN, Jan. 31.—Billy Murphy, Lowell's sensational lightweight has a man's size job on his hands next Monday night when he faces Joe Jawson of Milwaukee in the feature bout at the Casino A. C. of this city.

Murphy has been winning regularly and has bowled over all opposition that he has been called upon to face, but in Jawson he will meet a boy who enjoys a national reputation and who is regarded as one of the best of his weight in the country.

Jawson has swapped punches with Johnny Mendelsohn, Pinky Mitchell, Ritchie Mitchell, Sailor Friedman and several other top liners.

While making Boston his headquarters about two years ago he defeated Johnny Downs and Pepper Martin in two of the most sensational contests ever seen in Boston rings.

Murphy has done most of his fighting in his home city and while Lowell fans know that he has the goods, the fans from other parts of New England must be shown. A win over Jawson will put him at the top of the heap and his services will be in demand at Boston clubs. Lowell fans are with Murphy to a man as they feel that any boy who can win over such boys as Young Manty, Al Shubert, Bud Dempsey, Newport Johnny Brown, Jimmy Fruzetti and other boys of that calibre is entitled to go against the best in the country.

MISS COLLETT AND MRS. HARD CLASH

BELLEAIR, Fla., Jan. 31.—Miss Glenna Collett of Providence, R. I., and Mrs. Dorothy Campbell Hurd of the Merion Cricket club, each former national champion, meet here today in the final round of the woman's annual January golf tournament. Miss Collett yesterday defeated Mrs. G. S. Stetson of Huntingdon valley, 6 and 5, while Mrs. Hurd was successful over Mrs. George E. Morse of Rutland, Vt., by four and three.

Mrs. Hurd was around in 79, playing a steady, careful game. Miss Collett did not play brilliant golf, being slightly wild from the tee and her short game uncertain in spots.

DID MR. QUINN PUT ONE OVER?

BOSTON, Jan. 30.—Ever hear of a baseball magnate involved in a big deal failing to admit to the world that he got the best of the transaction?

Bob Quinn, president of the Boston Red Sox, denies that he got the better of E. S. Barnard, president of the Cleveland Indians, in the recent player exchange between these two clubs.

"I wasn't out to swindle Barnard and he wasn't out to swindle me," Quinn stated, "and as a result we put over a deal that was mutually advantageous to us both."

Boston traded George Burns, Chick Fewster and Al Walters for Bill Wambsganns, Steve O'Neill, Dan Boone and Joe Connolly.

BOXING BOUTS TONIGHT

Norton and Fruzetti in Return Engagement — New Officials Assigned

With a new set of officials on hand and Tansey Norton and Jimmy Fruzetti, both reported in fine fettle, local fans look for a humdinger of a battle in the main event of the Moody club card at the Crescent rink tonight.

A big delegation is coming up from Roxbury to root for Norton while Fruzetti will have a number of fans from his home town, Brockton, on hand to cheer him on to victory. As both have appeared here and consequently count a number of local admirers neither will lack enthusiastic supporters.

Norton has appeared here a number of times, meeting Willie Gradwell, Phinney Boyle, Jimmy Fruzetti, Johnny Avila and Martin Flaherty, Jr., within the local hemp. While he didn't win all his bouts he gave a good account of himself in every battle and his earnest endeavors brought him into favor with many fans.

Fruzetti has appeared here twice. He lost to Billy Murphy in a bout that was a hummer. He then met Norton two weeks ago tonight. He put up a whirlwind battle and while the officials ruled against him a great many at the ringside felt he was entitled to the award.

As a result of the other bout, Norton and Fruzetti have become bitter rivals and both will enter tonight's battle determined to win by the kayo route.

Owing to the fact that Leo Desrosiers is ill a substitution is necessary in the semi final. In place of Desrosiers, Barney Ryder of Milwaukee, a sparring partner of Joe Jawson who is to meet Billy Murphy in Lynn Monday night, will appear against Jimmy Reed of Brockton.

"BABE" RUTH VISITS LOCAL SOCIETIES

Following his address at the annual [illegible] of the alumni of St. Patrick's school, "Babe" Ruth visited the Knights of Columbus, the Elks and the Y. M. C. I. At the Knights of Columbus clubhouse a crowd of about 1200 gathered to meet their famous [illegible] number and he gave a short [illegible], during the course of which he [illegible] how Bro. Herman of St. Patrick's school had had a great deal to do with [illegible] early life, even giving him his start in baseball. Among those present was Michael J. Mahoney, the first Lowell man to become an umpire in the National league.

At the Elks and Y. M. C. I. he was informally greeted by the members and at both places gave a short address of appreciation for the welcome extended him.

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BOWLING

MERRIMACK MFG. CO. LEAGUE

	Won	Lost	Pinfall
Shop	36	20	19,768
Office	36	20	19,602
Twisters	35	21	19,522
Corduroy	33	23	19,707
Yard	31	25	19,241
Velvet	26	30	19,086
Khaki	20	36	18,871
Weave	7	49	18,315

Games Friday Night

Twisters vs. Khaki.
Weave vs. Yard.
Shop vs. Office.
Corduroy vs. Velvet.

High team total: Shop, 1534; Khaki, 1494.
High team single: Shop, 540; Shop, 536.
High individual three, Thursby, 349; P. Dhondt, 342.
High individual single: Sheridan, 139; Benoit, 132.

Averages

Lane 100.34, Galvin 99.9, Rainville 98.9, P. Dhondt 98.6, Lyness 97.26, Sanborn 97.18, Panton 97.2, Sheridan 96.28, McArdle 96.19, Benoit 96.10, Lebouf 96.10, Thursby 96.5, Jolly 96.7, Maguire 95.15, Thurston 95.3, Muran 95.02, A. Dhondt 94.21, Hefron 93.10, Fortier 93.4, Smith 93.3, Burns 92.34, Eyres 92.31, Collins 92.26, Fullerton 92.19, Daigle 92.16, Garneau 92.9, Rohan 91.32, Waring 91.13, Burnham 91.9, Lowe 91.9, LaFortune 91.3, Burrows 90.27, Morris 90.17, St. John 90.15, Baldwin 90.6, Cregan 90.2, Millman 89.12, Prudhomme 89.12, Webb 89.7, Moss 89.4, Barrett 89, Allison 88.28, Robertson 88.22, Capper 87.31, Heald 87.23, Holt 87.22, Greenhalgh 86.34, Roberts 86.11, Cote 82.24.

GAELIC CLUB LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	Pinfall
Team No. 3	30	14	13587
Team No. 4	30	14	13579
Team No. 2	14	30	12901
Team No. 1	11	30	12759

With two tied for first place and two for third interest is getting very keen in the Gaelic Club league. O'Dea still leads the pin topplers with Sheffield a close second.

Individual Averages

M. J. O'Dea 95.15, Sheffield 92.21, Lynch 90.12, Leahy 90.3, Barrett 88.13, Kittredge 88.3, Regan 86.5, Devereux 85.5, Ford 84.1, Connors 83.12, Harvey 83.6, Shannon 82.13, Daly 82.5, John J. Leonard 81.1, Ryan 80.15, Murphy 79.9, Flemings 78.18, Jim Leonard 78.11, McGarrhan 76.10, Cunningham 73.21, Carney 72.

High individual, single string, Mike O'Dea 125; second individual, single string, Tom Sheffield 114; high individual, three strings, O'Dea 320; second high individual, three strings, Sheffield 307, high team total, No. 3, 1370; second high team total, No. 4, 1343.

GEMS WIN

GEMS				
Beausoleil	86	93	95	274
Lemieux	86	101	79	266
Marcotte	86	83	100	269
Harvey	113	104	102	319
Desloge	97	100	178	375
Totals	468	481	554	1503

MOONLIGHTS				
E. Lussier	91	95	75	261
A. Jolly	103	101	83	256
J. Cloutier	88	107	93	288
A. Page	90	103	97	290
A. Dube	85	138	108	331
Totals	463	547	456	1466

Individual Averages

Barrett, A. Woolen	108
Robinson, Saco-Lowell	103
Houston, U. S. Bobbin	102
McQuaid, U. S. Bobbin	102
Gray, A. Woolen	102
Rosania, Saco-Lowell	102
Lemke, Ipswich	101
Espinola, U. S. Bobbin	101
Hindle, Appleton	101
Thurber, Saco-Lowell	101
Panton, Merrimack	100
Jodoin, Saco-Lowell	100
Bozek, Ipswich	100
Campbell, Talbot	100
Fortier, Merrimack	100
Bridgeford, Silesia	99
Finley, Saco-Lowell	99
Perron, Martin Susp.	99
[illegible], Ipswich	99
Johnson, Silesia	99
McEnaney, Silesia	99
Rourke, A. H. & L.	99
McPherson, A. Woolen	98
Atkinson, A. Woolen	98
Lowe, A. H. & L.	98
Ryan, Silesia	97
McNulty, Talbot	97
Garner, Appleton	97
Boucher, Ipswich	97
Delehanty, Talbot	97
Lyness, Merrimack	96
McTeague, Talbot	96
Sanborn, Merrimack	96
Sheridan, Merrimack	96
Syvert, Silesia	96
Hall, Martin Susp.	95
Mullin, Talbot	95
Cox, A. H. & L.	95
Thurston, Merrimack	94
Trainor, A. H. & L.	92
Lock, U. S. Bobbin	92

YARD				
Eldridge	87	105	95	287
Robarge	83	88	99	270
Higgs	99	100	77	276
Gaines	109	107	101	317
Brennan	96	97	111	304
Totals	474	497	483	1454

SPINNING				
Zommey	91	100	88	279
Cudworth	106	82	91	279
Heald	78	99	89	266
Perry	85	88	93	266
Harding	108	83	92	283
Totals	468	452	453	1373

ALL STARS				
Michaud	86	86	93	265
Sloan	81	99	121	301
Beaupre	91	106	109	305
Hurst	85	93	77	255
McAleer	100	91	82	273
Totals	446	475	482	1403

CONLEY'S PETS				
Moran	78	91	80	249
F. Conley	79	79	86	244
Nickerson	89	98	92	279
A. Conley	87	95	91	273
De Silva	86	80	103	269
Totals	419	443	452	1314

SILESIA LEAGUE

COMBING				
A. Patenaude	83	118	85	286
S. Wadja	91	86	87	264
S. Kershaw	93	98	88	279
J. Johnson	92	129	78	299
A. McEnaney	87	114	96	297
Totals	446	545	434	1425

STOREHOUSE				
H. Foster	82	75	94	251
C. Wilstead	103	82	96	281
R. Wetmore	94	90	74	258
B. Gilmore	99	87	93	279
M. Ryan	108	97	103	308
Totals	486	431	460	1377

WOOL SHOP				
H. Moore	77	115	99	291
Greenhalge	82	70	78	230
Hoyle	86	99	96	281
Shurtleff	74	90	98	262
Smith	72	80	85	237
Totals	391	454	456	1301

SPINNING				
G. Moore	83	101	78	262
Sub	74	80	78	232
Sub	72	70	85	227
McEnaney	78	78	91	247
Bridgford	102	101	114	317
Totals	409	439	446	1285

MACHINE SHOP				
Jack Gilmore	87	78	85	251
W. Shaw	86	100	77	263
W. Miller	79	70	94	243
A. Whitehead	97	104	88	289
J. Dixon	92	103	81	276
Totals	441	456	425	1322

DRAWING				
A. Rousseau	73	74	76	223
W. Rayball	94	91	70	255
H. Exley	77	76	76	229
F. Syvret	105	92	84	281
J. O'Connell	98	87	90	275
Totals	447	420	396	1263

KITTREDGE'S PETS				
Dacey	75	90	98	263
Horan	113	90	111	314
Benoit	104	100	108	312
Faye	82	104	99	285
Smith	98	107	99	304
Totals	472	491	515	1478

PONIES				
W. Mullarkey	85	105	105	295
J. Golden	84	101	94	279
L. Mullarkey	99	73	95	267
T. Nerney	80	85	99	264
D. Mullarkey	101	81	105	287
Totals	448	445	499	1392

MANUFACTURERS' LEAGUE

Am. Woolen	48	20	25,904	.706
Silesia	45	23	26,037	.662
Saco-Lowell	43	25	25,789	.632
Merrimack Co.	40	28	24,971	.588
U. S. Bobbin	38	30	25,474	.559
Ipswich Hosiery	34	34	24,993	.500
Talbot Mills	29	39	24,531	.427
Appleton Mills	23	45	24,389	.338
Martin Suspender	20	48	24,562	.294
Hide & Leather	20	48	24,164	.294

GAMES TONIGHT

Talbot Mills vs. U. S. Bobbin.
Silesia vs. Saco-Lowell.
American Woolen vs. Appleton Mills.
Martin Suspenders vs. Ipswich Hosiery.
Hide & Leather vs. Merrimack Co.

CHELMSFORD CENTRE LEAGUE

GIANTS				
Cole	82	104	111	297
Marshall	96	82	95	273
Simard	87	106	93	286
Johnson	77	109	120	306
Bean	111	104	91	306
Totals	455	502	513	1468

REDS				
Greenwood	85	91	106	282
Belleville	90	95	100	285
McElroy	92	85	86	263
Donovan	88	86	107	281
Desmarais	88	97	88	273
Totals	443	454	487	1384

CUBS				
E. Sillard	86	108	118	312
H. Rose	83	76	83	242
C. Petrie	100	95	106	301
H. Johnson	82	95	94	271
E. Simard	86	108	118	312
Totals	451	463	509	1423

PIRATES				
H. Sturtevant	87	92	95	274
R. Bliss	94	92	117	303
H. Paasche	82	80	83	245
F. DeKalb	92	84	74	250
H. Bunce	116	97	99	312
Totals	458	455	468	1386

MASS MILLS LEAGUE

WEAVE ROOM				
Bostron	94	83	90	267
Foster	93	97	92	282
Dennett	86	106	84	276
Shields	81	86	96	263
Silva	101	89	106	296
Totals	455	455	468	1381

DYE HOUSE				
Bettencourt	76	83	86	245
Higgs	73	91	77	241
Andreoli	78	98	93	269
Bickford	89	91	95	275
S. Williams	108	101	99	308
Totals	424	467	450	1341

DRESS				
Desmarais	100	108	86	294
Swanson	93	93	112	298
Nadeau	84	91	103	281
Lebourdais	94	96	90	280
Totals	371	391	391	1153

SHOP				
Lyons	102	84	101	287
Allen	86	81	92	259
Brown	86	89	102	281
Hannaford	87	95	90	272
Totals	371	349	385	1105

LITTLE BUT LOUD

Peter Reese, a diminutive messenger boy from London, is said to be one of the smallest pages in the world, but he has an important job. He delivered to President Coolidge a message of greeting from the lord mayor of London and an invitation to attend the British Empire exposition in May.

"DEAR SWEETUM" LETTERS READ

Love Notes Introduced at Breach of Promise Suit Against Asa G. Candler

Counsel Declares Candler Wrote Three Letters a Day to Mrs. De Bouchel

ATLANTA, Ga., Jan. 31.—A stack of letters to "Dear Sweetum" were neatly arranged on a counsel table in the United States district court here and were expected to be read during the second day of the trial of the $500,000 breach of promise suit against Asa G. Candler, senior, soft drink magnate of Atlanta, by Mrs. Onezima DeBouchel of New Orleans.

Yesterday thirteen epistles were read, and plaintiff's counsel stated Mr. Candler wrote to Mrs. DeBouchel as many as three letters a day.

"And I am to be the master of your heart; my, my, I never imagined that I would ever master the heart of a queen. I must begin to expand so that I can steadily hold the sceptre of my kingdom and prepare to rule with king's justice," read Mrs. DeBouchel's counsel yesterday from a letter he said had been penned by Mr. Candler to Mrs. DeBouchel who at the time was residing in Reno, Nev.

The dates were early in the spring of 1922. Until then, after their first meeting in November, 1921, at a Confederate veterans' union here, Mr. Candler corresponded with Mrs. DeBouchel, so a letter stated, "for culture and pastime which, being done, I found myself admiring you."

Later another letter stated that Mr. Candler had investigated the "manner of woman" Mrs. DeBouchel was, and, after "from every available source I learned of your excellency, good breeding and personal charm, unrestrainedly loved you."

Proposal of Marriage

Then came the proposal which Mrs. DeBouchel, according to a letter read as from Mr. Candler, accepted after she had obtained a divorce from Adolphe Rocquet in Reno in September, 1921.

"The cards are being engraved and the envelopes are being addressed in my office," one letter read. "I am having your marriage ring made to fit my little finger. Is that right? Send me a string measure in your next letter." The same epistle stated Mr. Candler had three conferences to hold, "then I am ready to depart for Eden, as it was after Adam's nap and rib experience. I am doing my rush act, you see, while you are my sweetheart. After that chapter is ended, I'll have you where I won't have to rush you."

The engagement secret leaked out in August, and also dark clouds over the romance began to gather. In a letter dated Aug. 10, Mr. Candler wrote "the announcement of no citizen's wedding has ever caused as much talk and produced as many letters of every kind as has mine."

"I know that there has gone to New Orleans from Atlanta a prominent citizen," the letter stated, "who is greatly disturbed about my marriage to you, as you have been described by these bad Atlanta papers."

The following day he warned Mrs. DeBouchel not to give any interviews or to distribute any pictures, and added, "whatever may ever come to prevent marriage, will not hinder my devotion to you. My heart is yours, my love for you is the ruling passion of my life."

The next day he penned a short note, declaring "I am only writing to aver my devotion to you. I am greatly troubled. You are ever on my heart and mind. I have one cheering thought—that whatever happens, you truly love me, and will till I prove unworthy."

Today's stack of letters are expected to reveal his preparation for his departure for the west, alleged findings of the "prominent citizen" whose visit to New Orleans was causing the capitalist much worry.

Attorneys intimated early today that introduction of these letters and several depositions would complete the plaintiff's case probably before court recessed late today.

Defense attorneys are contending that Mrs. DeBouchel was legally married to Rocquet at the time she became engaged to marry Mr. Candler.

WILL SUBMIT REPORT ON ASSESSORS' DEPT.

The committee appointed to investigate the assessors' department of which Alderman Cosgrove is chairman is preparing a report to be submitted in the near future. The business of the committee has been somewhat delayed by Alderman Cosgrove's illness. The committee has been looking up the methods in force in the assessment of property in other cities with a view to finding how the law is interpreted by different bodies. The whole matter is involved in technicalities, but the committee hopes to present a report embodying its conclusions very soon.

BOSTON STAR DEFEATS RAY

Lloyd Hahn of B. A. A. Defeats Chicagoan in Two-thirds of Mile Race at N. Y.

Ray, However, Showed His Heels to Rivals in Mile and a Third Event

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—(By the Associated Press) Joie Ray, sturdy little Chicagoan who has ruled the ranks of distance runners for practically a decade faces one of the hardest tasks among America's chief Olympic hopes this year. This was the opinion of track followers today after "Chesty Joie" failed in a valiant attempt to score a double triumph in the Millrose A.A. games at Madison Square Garden last night, winning the mile and a half but finishing last in the two-thirds of a mile race.

Ray showed to better advantage than at any time this season in hanging up his single victory but his time was seven seconds behind the world's record he established in winning the same Millrose feature a year ago. In the shorter race, the Illinois A.C. flier was outclassed from the start, except for one brief spurt, and in his place a new satellite, Lloyd Hahn of the Boston A.A., flashed to the fore. Hahn's victory score within two-fifths of a second of the world's record of 2.43 3-5 was his second of the season over Ray and establishes the Bostonian as real Olympic distance timber.

Two spectacular sprint victories at sixty and three hundred yards by Loren Murchison of the Newark A.C., national champion, were other outstanding features of the closing night's card of the two-night Millrose carnival one of the greatest indoor meets ever held in this country.

No records were broken last night and but one was set during the entire meet but it sparkled from start to finish with brilliant competition among more than 1,000 entries, representing the pick of college and club stars from many parts of the country.

Murchison was close to record time in both of his sprint victories while Alan Helffrich, Penn State holder of the inter-collegiate mile time, came close to a new world's mark in winning the Millrose "six hundred" for the second straight year.

The only record of the meet was a one mile, scholastic mark of three minutes 33 4-5 seconds, established by Mersersburg Academy, which held the old mark of 3.35 3-5.

500 Compete in Meet

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—National champions and Olympic team candidates will seek athletic honors with over 500 representatives of the various city departments in the third annual indoor athletic carnival of the municipal athletic activities committee at Madison Square Garden tonight.

The outstanding feature will be a series of three sprint races at 40, 50 and 60 yards in which Loren Murchison, the national title and record holder, will meet, among others, Bob McAllister, former national champion, who established an indoor record for 100 metres at the Brooklyn College games last Saturday.

Harold M. Osborne, the present decathlon champion, will endeavor to break the world's high jump record which he established last week in Chicago while Orville Wanzer, giant policeman who sports the silks of the New York Athletic club, is expected to star in two features—the shot put, in which event he is the national champion and the fifty yard fat man's race confined to city employes weighing two hundred and ten pounds or over.

SALARIES OF NORMAL SCHOOL PRINCIPALS

(Special to The Sun)

BOSTON, Jan. 31—That the Normal schools of the state will suffer greatly unless the legislature overrules Homer Loring's department of administration and finance, and permits an increase in salaries of Normal school principals, was declared by Dr. Payson Smith, state commissioner of education, at a hearing before the ways and means committee yesterday.

"Unless we are allowed to increase the salaries of our principals this year," Dr. Smith said, "we are certain to lose some of them. This is because the maximum salary we are permitted to pay is $4,500, while all around us are states which are paying more.

"Connecticut pays up to $6,000 to its Normal school principals; New Jersey pays $6,500, while New York and Pennsylvania allow as much as $8,500 in certain cases. Under such circumstances, it is only natural that those states should get the best principals and that our own men should be seeking appointment in those states."

Asked what salaries he desires to pay, Dr. Smith said his budget as submitted to Mr. Loring provided a salary of $5,200 for the principals at Fitchburg, Framingham and Salem, $5,000 at Lowell, Westfield and Worcester; and $4,000 at Hyannis and North Adams.

Rep. Salter Washburn of the committee asked Dr. Smith if he would be allowed to expend the money in case the ways and means committee decided that he should have it.

"I cannot conceive," he said, "that finance would refuse to allow salary the commission on administration and increases specifically authorized by the legislature."

"Don't be too sure of that," replied Rep. Washburn. "That is exactly what happened last year in at least one department." HOYT.

FAKE MUSIC PUBLISHERS

Lecturer at Normal School Describes Methods of the "Song Shark"

Many People Fleeced—Victims Secured Through Advertisements in Magazines

The method of fake music publishers, known as song sharks, in victimizing the gullible of this country was explained by William Arms Fisher of the Oliver Ditson company of Boston to the students of the State Normal school yesterday afternoon in the school hall.

Mr. Fisher's address was the third on the general topic, "The Perils of the Credulous" and his special subject was "Song Sharks and Their Victims." He was introduced by Miss Inez Field Damon of the faculty as the one man in this part of the country fitted to deal with the subject because of his connection with one of the largest music publishing houses in the country.

The first expose of song-sharks was made 15 years ago, he said, by Edward Bok when managing editor of the Ladies' Home Journal. Mr. Bok published an article explaining how women and men were fleeced by the song sharks and explained in detail the methods of the sharks. Despite the publicity given this exposure, he said, within a few months music publishers throughout the country found the people were again being victimized. Finally, he decided to learn the methods of the sharks by answering their advertisements. From the answers received and offers made by these fake publishers Mr. Fisher bases his expose. The victim is secured through advertisements in the cheaper magazines of wide circulation which read after the style of the following. "Why don't you write the words for a song. We'll help you along by composing the music free and publishing same?"

"I wrote a poem," he said, "and sent it to about a dozen of these advertisers. Within a day the answers came flocking in. The prices asked by these companies for rearranging the words, writing an accompaniment and getting everything in readiness for publication ranged from $20 to $90. With their replies came circulars telling of the fortunes made by song writers contracts printed on beautifully tinted paper certificates of guarantee and money refund certificates.

"If the victim is at all slow in sending the money," he continued, "the song writers, contracts printed on up letters. One firm located in New York started off by offering to fix up my verse for $90. In each succeeding letter the price was cut until finally they promised to do the work for $20.

"If the amateur verse writer 'falls' for their nicely worded offers and sends them the money asked, the words are put to music. Any hack musician of experience can grind out commonplace music by the yard but this mechanical stuff is absolutely no good and no respectable publisher will even look at the copy.

"Then the song shark writes to the victim and tells him his song is ready for publication and that he will be glad to have it published for a certain price. The victim sends the money and the song shark has professional copies printed on cheap paper in a printing shop owned by himself and sends copies to the large music houses, where they are promptly relegated to the waste basket, and the fleecing of the victim is complete, although I have known of one or two cases where 5 cents in stamps was sent a victim three months after his song was published as accrued royalties on sale of the same.

"We Americans," he continued, "are the most gullible people on the earth. This swindle is found nowhere else in the world and it bears the title of 'The Great American Swindle' because of this fact. Since my first exposure of these swindlers the government has turned its efforts from the oil well swindles and many of the song shops have been closed for obtaining money under false pretences."

Mr. Fisher said that during the course of his investigation he looked up the copyright records and found that one of the fake publishers had copyrighted in one year as his own work, 1948 songs. The total output of the four leading music publishing houses in the country the same year of songs, band, orchestra and choral music was but 1570.

"A few years ago," he continued, "one of these song sharks located in Washington. His correspondence was so great that the postoffice authorities had to open a branch station near his office. Before the federal authorities closed this shop it was estimated the proprietor made over $85,000. When the authorities did get after the song sharks they found one of the most difficult things they had to do was to convince the American people that these song sharkers were preying upon them. Some victims were so gullible that they would not be convinced, even after being 'stuck' by one song shark they turned around and wrote to another and went through the process of being victimized again.

"Competition in song-sharking became so great recently," he continued, "that several of the fake houses printed warnings in the magazines telling of the fraudulency of other advertisers that was in fact the same game they were playing.

"The remedy for the whole swindle," he said in conclusion, "is publicity. The people must be convinced that these fake music publishing firms are really fakes. A pitiful and yet humorous thing found in connection with those who deal with song sharks is their anxiety to see their own names blazoned forth on sheet music—they are so anxious for publicity that they fall easy prey to the more clever song sharks.

Next to Selling Bad Rum Is Selling of Bad Food

Continued

customers when he sells goods below standard."

When Fred L. Woodward was called on a drunkenness charge, the probation officer informed the court that he was making his third appearance in three weeks, the latest being yesterday, when he was released. "You've had all the indulgence that is going to be given you," the court told him. "You're making prohibition a laughing-stock. If you have anything to say, I'll hear you."

Defendant responded that if given one more opportunity to go the straight and narrow, the court would not see him again.

"Is that all you have to say?" inquired the court.

"Yes, sir."

"Three months in the house of correction. Next case, Mr. Clerk."

Kakeriz Ignatowicz was saved from a house of correction sentence by the fact that he has five children and works steadily. He was charged with drunkenness, his wife stating that he abused her and pulled her hair last night. A suspended sentence of three months was imposed.

Michael Kealey was given two weeks to make restitution for damages to a door of the Friend bakery shop. Officials of that firm said he smashed a door in the rear of the establishment last night. Defendant claimed he was aggravated when someone in the building threw water on him and the door was broken when he attempted to locate the responsible party.

With the understanding that he contribute $8 weekly to his wife's support, the case of John E. Kennedy, charged with non-support, was continued for two months.

John N. Fratas paid a fine of $10 for selling cold storage eggs not properly designated.

Illegally employing a minor (two counts) occasioned the appearance of Louis Bucalevis. He was found guilty on one count and ordered to pay a $10 fine, while the second count was filed.

Joseph H. McKenna, drunkenness, was continued in $200 until tomorrow.

James A. Manning, illegally maintaining gaming apparatus, and Thos Perevolotis, illegal keeping, were each continued to Feb. 5.

ARRIVED TODAY

Ratine Dresses

— AT —

HALF PRICE

This is the last shipment we will have this year. There are wonderful values in this lot to be closed out at half regular price.

RATINE DRESSES

7 Yrs. to 14 Yrs.

$2.00, $2.50 Dresses..$1.00
$3.00, $3.50 Dresses..$1.50

LADIES' SIZES

Up to 36

$3.00, $3.50 Dresses..$1.50
$4.00, $5.00 Dresses..$2.00

Look them over; the greatest values in town.

Macartney's

SECOND FLOOR

VERMONT TEA AND BUTTER CO.

— CHAIN STORES —

Quality Goods — Lowest Prices

SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

CAMPBELL'S BEANS .... 9¢
BORDEN'S AND VAN CAMP'S MILK—Tall can.......... 10½¢
FANCY SLICED BACON (No Rind).......... 25¢

Best Creamery Butter	54c	Golden Rod Coffee (Sold in our stores only)	37c
Eggs, warranted	35c and 40c	Formosa Oolong Tea	38c
Fresh Farm Eggs arriving daily at Lowest Prices.		Ceylon Tea	44c
Full Cream Cheese	32c	Loose Cocoa	10c
Good Meaty Prunes	12½c	Pastry Flour	25c
Pink Salmon	14c	York and Cal. Pea Beans	8c
Steak Salmon	19c	Sugar	9½c
Peas	12½c	Seeded Raisins	12½c
Corn	12c	Sliced Peaches	16c
Quaker Farina	10c	Fig Bars	12½c
Sardines	6c	Blue Rose Rice	8c
Vermont Jam-Pure Fruit—1 lb. jar	25c	Vermont Brand Coffee	31c

STORES LOCATED AT

240 Chelmsford St.
492 Chelmsford St.
312 Bridge St. (Cor. Lakeview Ave.)
968 Gorham St.
50 Andover St. (Cor. Fayette St.)
583 Merrimack St.
33 Westford St.
719 Lawrence St.

Trade at a Vermont Store and get the best and most for your money.

A Store Near Your Home

VERMONT TEA AND BUTTER CO.

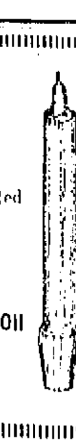
CHAIN STORES

ALTAR BRAND BEESWAX

CANDLES

With Self-Fitting Ends

For the Feast of CANDLEMAS, which will be commemorated Saturday of this week.



Each .... 19¢ 2 for ...... 37¢
4 for ...... 74¢ Box of 24, $4.25

Headquarters for Wax Tapers, Night Lights and Sanctuary Oil

C. B. Coburn Co.
63 MARKET STREET

Free City Delivery

Wretchedness OF Constipation

Can Be Quickly Overcome by

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS Purely vegetable—act sure and gently on the liver. Relieve biliousness, headache, dizziness and indigestion. They do their duty.

Small Pill—Small Dose—Small Price

For Raw Sore Throat

At the first sign of a raw, sore throat rub on a little Musterole with you fingers.

It goes right to the spot with a gentle tingle, loosens congestion, draws out soreness and pain.

Musterole is a clean, white ointment made with oil of mustard. It has all the strength of the old-fashioned mustard plaster without the blister.

Nothing like Musterole for croupy children. Keep it handy for instant use.

To Mothers: Musterole is also made in milder form for babies and small children.

Ask for Children's Musterole.

35 and 65c in jars and tubes; hospital size, $3.

MUSTEROLE

WILL NOT BLISTER

Better than a mustard plaster.—Adv.

THE PRIDE of a PERFECT KITCHEN

The FAMOUS BLACK-IRON STOVE POLISH

UNION MARKET

TEL. 4810 ALL DEPTS.

February 1, 1924 Friday

In our 36 years of doing business here we have tried to make this store the Home Market of Lowell. You will find marketing pleasant and reliable here. Once a customer always a customer. A square deal to all. Our prices and quality are well worth comparing.

Fresh Shipment of	SCALLOPS, lb. . . .	33c
Fresh Northern	TURKEYS, lb. . . .	38c
Leg of Genuine Spring	LAMB, lb. . . .	35c
Lean Fresh Cut	PORK CHOPS, lb. .	22c
White Crisp	CELERY, bu. . . .	10c
Ripe	STRAWBERRIES, box .	45c

WHERE YOUR DADDY TRADED

Performance Continuous from 1 to 10.15

MERRIMACK SQ.

Sun., Mon., Tues., Wed. JACKIE COOGAN in His Latest Nine-Reel Feature, LONG LIVE THE KING

Buster Keaton

—In—

"Three Ages"

With this, his first full length feature—6 reels—Buster Keaton sets a new standard in comedy production, monumental in bigness, eye-filling in its grandeur and beauty. The Roman Colosseum, where the sensational chariot race is run, is the largest exterior ever constructed for a picture. RIVALS "ROBIN HOOD" IN MAGNIFICANCE AND SETS RECORDS FOR LAUGHS.

— ALSO —

HOOT GIBSON IN "DOUBLE DEALING," COMEDY, "UNEASY FEET," NEWS, ETC.

Five Hundred Good Evening Seats At Twenty Cts.

THE CENSORS SAID:--

"We didn't realize that Lowell was so fortunate in having a Stock Company as good as Al. Luttringer's. The play there this week is a credit to them and filled with some real good comedy. It's worth seeing."

Have YOU Seen

"The Demi-Virgin"

With LILLIAN DESMONDE and WILLIAM COURNEEN at the OPERA HOUSE

Matinees at 2.15
Evenings at 8.15

Same Prices 17c to 83c

STRAND
ALL THIS WEEK
OPEN at 12.30

FLAMING YOUTH

from the widely read novel by WARNER FABIAN

with COLLEEN MOORE
A Startling Expose of Modern Society

ON THE SAME BILL

"The SUNSHINE TRAIL" DOUGLAS MacLEAN and EDITH ROBERTS

E. M. LOEW'S RIALTO

NOW PLAYING

Six Reels of Joy

WILLIAM RUSSELL

—IN—

"Times Have Changed"

— ALSO —

A Screen Version of "THE BOHEMIAN GIRL"

SUNDAY—VAUDEVILLE

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday
"HUMAN WRECKAGE"

OPEN YOUR EYES!

See the veil of mystery hiding the Narcotic Evil ruthlessly torn away!

"Human Wreckage"

—With—

MRS. WALLACE REID

—And—

JAMES KIRKWOOD

NOTE—This is the same identical picture that is playing all the big cities at advanced prices.

NEXT MON., TUES., WED.

RIALTO

B. F. KEITH'S

AMUSEMENT CENTRE OF LOWELL

All Week, Mat. at 2, Eve. at 8. Tel. 28

BIG COMEDY AND SINGING SHOW

PAUL DECKER & CO.
In "Doubt," a new comedy

Walter & Emily WALTERS
In "The Baby's Cry"

WADE BOOTH Baritone

FISHER & HURST
"Hats and Things"

JEAN LACROSSE
Soprano

THE HUSTONS Table Antics

Pathe News — Topics — Fables

MAY ALLISON
In a drama of the great outdoors
"THE BROAD ROAD"

AUDITORIUM—FEB. 18

SAN CARLO GRAND OPERA CO

AMERICA'S GREATEST TOURING ORGANIZATION.
ONE HUNDRED PEOPLE. DISTINGUISHED AMERICAN AND EUROPEAN STARS. SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA. BRILLIANT CHORUS. SUPERB STAGE SETTINGS.

—IN—

MADAME BUTTERFLY

Featuring Mme. Tamaki Miura
Mr. Colin O'More

Reservations may be made now at Chalifoux's. Seat sale begins Feb. 4. Tickets $1.00, $1.50, $2.00, $2.50 and 10% Tax

HAVERHILL POLICEMAN SAVES 14 AT FIRE

HAVERHILL, Jan. 30.— At the risk of his life, Patrolman William F. Denoncour of the police department, performed heroic duty during a fire which wiped out the establishment of John Desarkisian, cobbler and retail shoe dealer, and caused extensive damage to other sections of the building on Essex street, short before midnight last night when he braved the flames and smoke to rescue 11 children, a man and two women, whose escape from the burning building was cut off by walls of smoke. The last person, a 15 year old girl, to be taken from the building, was carried out by firemen. On Patrolman Denoncour's last trip into the burning house he was accompanied by Harry Bushway.

MAYENCE, Germany, Jan. 30 (by the Associated Press).—The mayor of Roxheim, Bavarian Palatinate, an adherent of the autonomous movement in that province, was assassinated today as he was entering the town from the railway station.

RECOGNITION OF RUSSIA WITHIN TEN DAYS

LONDON, Jan. 30. —(By the Associated Press.) Full diplomatic recognition of soviet Russia by the British government is expected within 10 days, according to political observers conversant with the labor government's intentions. These observers say Premier Macdonald is anxious to have recognition an accomplished fact before parliament meets on Feb. 12.

COMMANDER QUINN WELCOMED TO N. E.

BOSTON, Jan. 30. John R. Quinn, national commander of the American Legion, was welcomed to New England today. He came to attend a legion dinner here tonight.

A group of veterans escorted him to the home of Maj. Gen. Clarence R. Edwards in Westwood, and later he called on Gov. Cox and Mayor Curley and visited the naval hospital in Chelsea. He was the governor's guest at luncheon.

NO HITCH IN PLAN TO RECOGNIZE RUSSIA

LONDON, Jan. 30.—The Daily Herald says this morning that no hitch whatsoever has developed in the government's preparations to recognize soviet Russia, that the matter has already been decided and that reports to the contrary deliberately misrepresent the ministry's intention.

Thus does the Laborite newspaper seek to allay what it describes as "a good deal of impatience in the labor ranks about the impending recognition. It attributes the alleged wilful misstatements to the conservative and liberal papers, and expresses surprise that the labor people should believe the reports.

It also dubs as ridiculous, stories to the effect that a mission of investigation is going to Moscow prior to recognition, saying that nothing of the sort is intended.

SALE OF TECUMSEH MILLS APPROVED

FALL RIVER, Jan. 30.—The sale of the Tecumseh mills to the Davol mills, in accordance with the plans outlined to stockholders of the former corporation a week ago, was unanimously approved at a special meeting of to stockholders of the meeting of the stockholders of the the rooms of the Cotton Manufacturers' association. A total of 46 ballots, representing 5945 shares were voted in favor of the consolidation, with the Davol mills, with not a dissenting vote. Treasurer Simeon B. Chase in answer to stockholders, stated he was of the opinion the cash dividend to the Tecumseh shareholders would be approximately 100 per cent. The stockholders will also receive one and one-third shares of Davol mills for each share of their present holdings.

DEMOCRATIC SECRETARY

Meet the new secretary of the democratic national committee—Charles A. Greathouse of Indianapolis. He prepared for his important new post in hoosier state politics.

$300,000 BREACH OF PROMISE SUIT

PORTLAND, Me., Jan. 30.—The $300,000 suit of Miss Vera Gerber against David Shwartz, for alleged breach of promise, went on trial in supreme court today. The jury was selected in three-quarters of an hour.

TRYING TO CURTAIL USE OF COTTON

WASHINGTON, Jan. 30.—The department of justice is without information concerning a charge that the International Federation of Spinners are trying to effect a curtailment of the use of cotton, acting Attorney General Sargent today advised Senator Harris, democrat, Georgia.

The senator had presented a statement from a New York cotton dealer, asking that "well founded reports say the federation has been putting out feelers among American mills with a view of inducing them to join the movement and that the plan has been laid before high government officials."

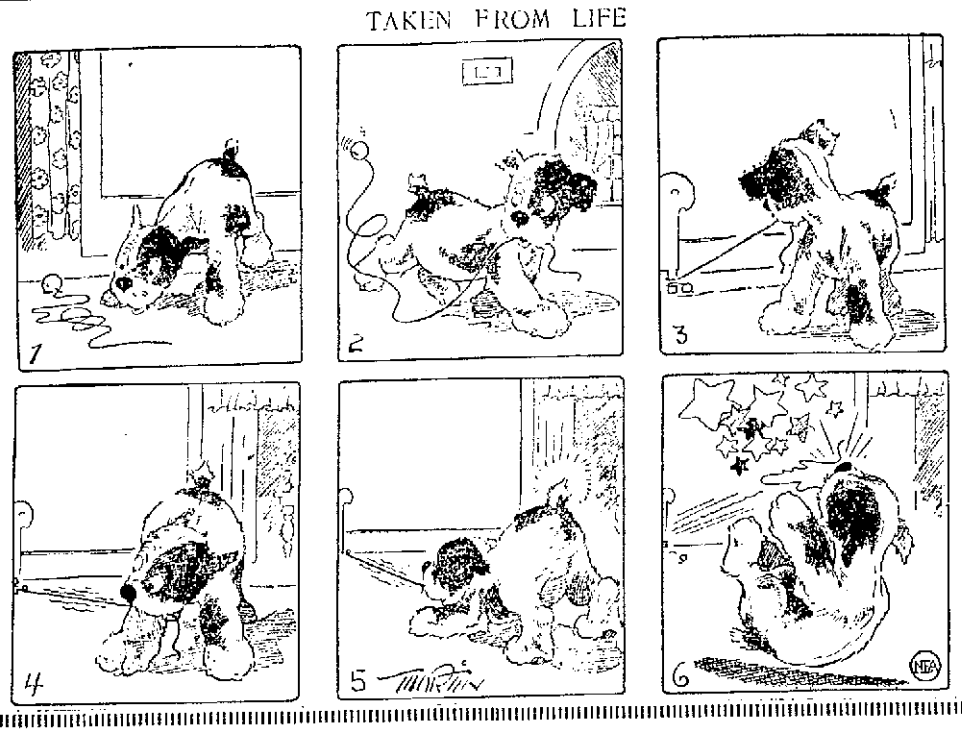
HELD ON CHARGE OF CONSPIRACY TO ROB

BOSTON, Jan. 30.—Harry Manuff of Revere, appeared at the Federal building today and was placed under formal arrest on a charge of conspiracy to rob, in connection with the million dollar mail truck robbery in Los Angeles in March, 1921. He pleaded not guilty and furnished $5000 bonds for appearance at a hearing later.

Bert R. Chapman of this city, was arrested on a similar charge here yesterday. Bonds valued at $200,000, which formed part of the loot, have been recovered in this city after postal inspectors had traced them through Boston brokerage houses to banks here.

ADAM AND EVA

TAKEN FROM LIFE



Bankruptcy Shoe Sale

Stock Has Been Bought and Transferred Here From the D. S. Shoe Store in Lawrence

A complete line of MEN'S, WOMEN'S and CHILDREN'S BOOTS, SHOES and RUBBERS to be cleaned out at give-away prices. This wonderful sale will only last a few days. Be amongst the lucky ones and come early.

READ A FEW OF OUR PRICES AND SEE FOR YOURSELF

Men's High Grade Shoes, black or tan, all styles and sizes.....95¢
Men's High Grade Shoes.....50¢
Men's Scout Shoes.....$1.45
Men's Heavy Solid Leather Working Shoes.....$1.45, $1.95
Army and Navy Shoes.....$2.95
Men's Goodyear Welt High Grade Dress Shoes.....$1.95, $2.95
Men's Felt Slippers.....75¢
Men's Rubbers.....75¢
Men's 1-Buckle Overshoes.....$1.25
Men's 4-Buckle Overshoes.....$2.95
Men's Heavy Lumberman's Rubbers, 12 inch high.....$2.95
Men's Rubber Boots.....$2.95
Women's Felt Slippers.....45¢
Women's Rubbers.....60¢

Women's Shoes, Oxfords and Pumps—All the latest styles—$1.95 and $2.95
A Lot of 350 Pairs Women's Shoes to Be Sold at.....25¢ Pair
Women's 4-Buckle Overshoes, $2.25
A Lot of 200 Pairs of Women's Rubbers—Pair.....25¢
Girls' Shoes.....95¢
Children's Shoes.....25¢
Children's Rubber Boots.....$1.25
Girls' Overshoes.....$1.95
Boys' Shoes.....95¢
Boys' Rubbers.....55¢

DON'T MISS THIS SPECIAL BARGAIN
400 Pairs of Women's and Girls' White Oxfords and Pumps—One or two straps; selling price $3.95. To close them out at.....75c

STORE CLOSED TODAY—SALE STARTS THURSDAY MORNING AT NINE
Look for the Big Re-opening Sign in Front of the Store
REMEMBER THE NAME

Bernstein Shoe Co.

186 MIDDLESEX STREET

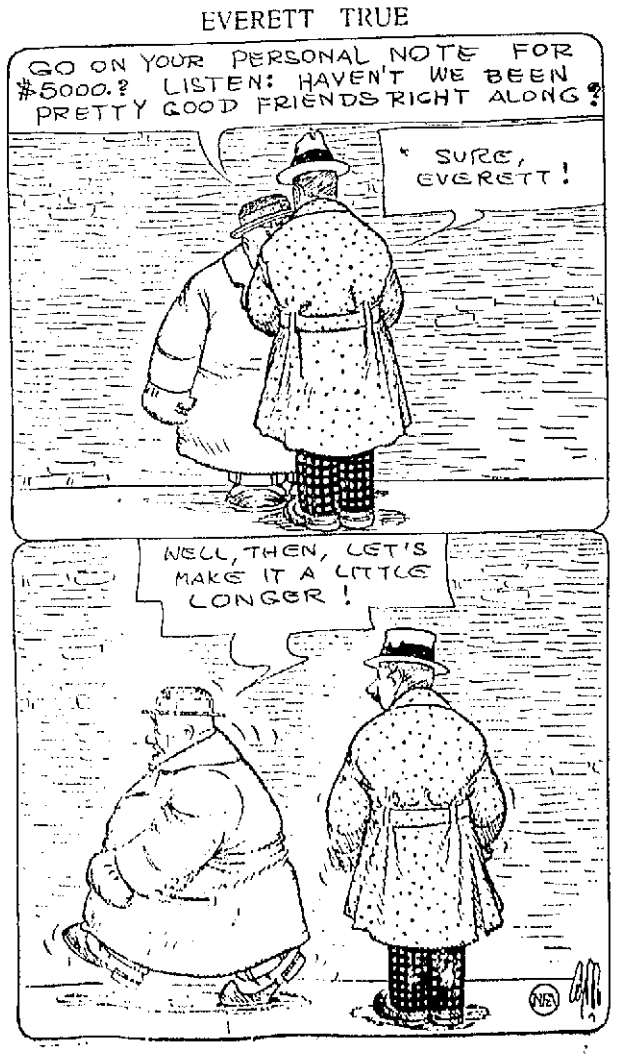
Opposite Union Market

10 Extra Salesgirls Wanted at Once.

WORD TO THE WISE

Although a career in the arts and sciences looms for many a co-ed at the University of Washington, in Seattle, most of them still believe that "woman's place is in the home." And so they are taking advantage of the fact that it is leap year to spur the matrimonial tendencies of hesitant males. Miss Lois Howard is here shown pointing out a leap year bulletin posted on one of the university buildings.

EVERETT TRUE



Classic Dancer to Teach Rhythmic Art to the Children of the Slums

RUTH ST. DENIS

BY DON E. P. DROHAN.

CHICAGO, Jan. 30.—Free dancing schools for the children of the slums!

They'll be a reality soon, if Ruth St. Denis, exponent of the ancient art of Terpsichore, has her way.

The children of the crowded tenements are going to have an equal chance with the little sons and daughters of the wealthy in learning the rhythmic beauties of the dance.

Classes for them will soon be organized by Miss St. Denis in New York and Los Angeles, she announces.

Then, if the experiment proves a success—and Miss St. Denis is confident it will—others will be formed in Chicago, Philadelphia, Detroit, Cleveland, San Francisco, St. Louis and other cities.

Teachers, for the present, will come from Miss St. Denis' own studio, after a time, municipal aid will be sought in putting over the project.

"I believe children should begin to master their first steps when they're 4 or 5," says Miss St. Denis.

"Teach the little ones the beauties of the dance and you'll give them a nobler conception of life.

"They'll respect their bodies and their souls far more than the young people of today. Their physical, mental and moral standards will be far higher."

Miss St. Denis is looking forward to the day when every city in the country will boast of a community center where old and young may gather for interpretations of the seven arts so dear to the old Grecians.

In all her plans, she's got the backing of her husband. Yes, she has a husband—Ted Shawn, her dancing partner.

DAWES COMMITTEE MEETS IN BERLIN

BERLIN, Jan. 30. —(By the Associated Press) General Charles G. Dawes, chairman of the first committee of experts investigating Germany's finances which arrived in Berlin from Paris last evening, presided at a preliminary meeting of the committee here today at which the methods of procedure at the Berlin meetings were discussed. It was decided to address a request to Chancellor Marx that the committee be given facilities for establishing points of contact with persons capable of furnishing it information. The committee, it was stated, has decided that it will not draft the report until after leaving Berlin.

STUDY RETURNS FILED BY ANDERSON

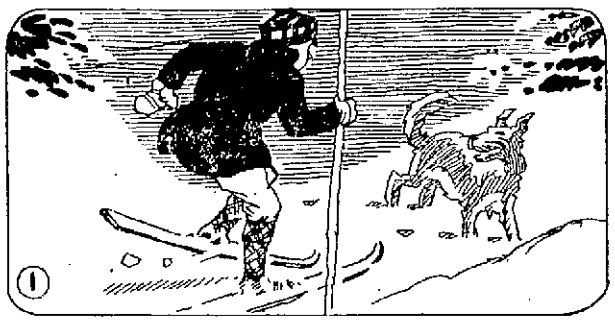
NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—The conviction of William H. Anderson, state superintendent of the Anti-Saloon league, was followed by the revelation that examiners of the federal income tax bureau had been detailed to study the returns filed by Mr. Anderson and O. Bartsall Phillips for 1920.

GOV. W. T. McCRAY ADJUDGED BANKRUPT

FRANKFORT, Ind., Jan. 30.—Governor Warren T. McCray is adjudged a bankrupt in the report of Harry C. Sheridan, federal master in chancery, who recently conducted a hearing on the petition of three Fort Wayne banks. The report, made public here today, holds that McCray is not a farmer nor a laborer and therefore not exempt from the federal laws governing involuntary bankruptcy proceedings.

Get THE SUN Classified Ad Habit

Chapter 1—Jack Daw's Adventures



Have you ever traveled on skis? Well, it's great sport, and that's why we find Jack Daw having the time of his life. At first it is a little hard to handle skis, but Jack has managed to stand up on them very well, and as he travels along his pet dog Flip enjoys it too.

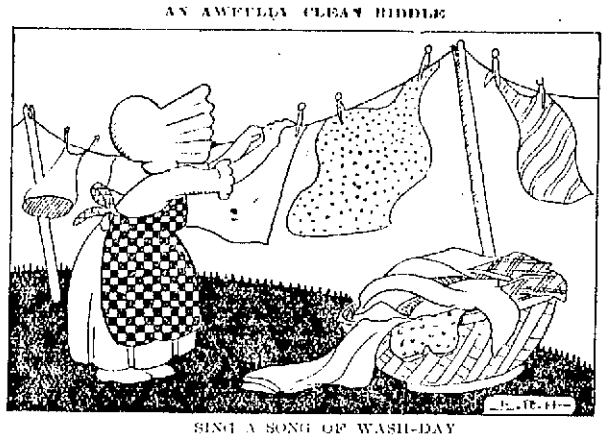
"Come on there, old fellow!" shouted Jack, as he came to a long, winding hill and prepared to take a real slide. As the little adventurer went over the top of the hill, Flip ploughed along through the snow as best he could. Down, down, down went Jack, just like lightning.

Of course, Flip didn't have skis on. Dogs never wear them. So, after sinking into the snow several times in his flight down the hill, the faithful pet lost his footing and started rolling over and over and over. Jack was ahead of Flip, so didn't see his dog tumble. (Continued.)

ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS

By Olive Roberts Barton

AN AWFULLY CLEAN RIDDLE



SING A SONG OF WASH-DAY

The Riddle Lady had another brand-new riddle ready next day, and it was a good thing she had, for a lot of company had come to Riddle Town from Mother Goose Land to try their luck at guessing.

Nancy and Nick helped Humpty Dumpty to receive them and say how-do-you-do and all that!

This was the riddle the Riddle Lady asked:

"Sing a song of wash-day,
A basket full of clothes,
A line hung with damp things
In long flopping rows.

"But, oh, without us, wash-day
Would be a useless thing,
About as foolish as a crown
That hasn't any king.

"We're not known for beauty,
Plain as we can be,
Wooden-heads they call us
We're dumb, too, don't you see.

"Now you know who we are,
Now you know our name,
Though we're far from beautiful,
We're needed just the same.

"I and all my brothers
Ride one slender horse.
Poor thing's so thin he can't stand up,
So needs a prop, of course!

"We love the sun quite dearly,
But oh, we hate the rain,
Umbrellas we can't hold at all,
For we've no arms, it's plain.

"We've nice straight legs—we need them, too!
To ride our steed so high,
For it's our job to hold on tight,
And see that the clothes get dry."

"I knew it! I just knew it!" cried a voice indignantly when the Riddle Lady had finished.

Everybody turned in surprise and were still more surprised to discover that it was the Maid-in-the-Garden who was doing the scolding.

"There I am on my vacation and the first thing I hear is clothespins! For that's the answer. I'm as sure as anything. It can't be anything else. The king and the queen they sez to me this morning, sez they, 'Hannah, this is such a nice day, 'n all, and your nose being better 'n everything, leave off your washing and go to Riddle Land with us in our golden coach. It'll do you good to get away from your work for a spell!'

"And so I came and here I am and the first thing I hear is clothespins. Ugh!"

The Riddle Lady smiled. "Oh, but you've guessed the answer and you get the prize," she said. "It's a new dress with lovely trimmings. You can wear it to church Sundays."

"Well, that's different!" declared the Maid-in-the-Garden in high good humor. "I'm glad I came."

(To Be Continued)

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TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

Southern Division To Boston Lve.	Arr.	Fr. Boston Lve.	Arr.	Portland Division To Boston Lve.	Arr.	Fr. Boston Lve.	Arr.
6.20	6.46	2.30	3.10	6.33	7.58	x6.35	8.31
6.23	7.26	6.00	7.08	10.54	12.10	10.35	11.53
10.30	7.56	7.35	8.38	5.14pm	6.35	3.20	4.36
6.44	7.50	b6.15	9.00	7.12	8.25	5.14	6.19
8.58	8.00	9.00	9.39	10.20	11.38	6.55	8.14
7.12	8.03	10.00	10.40			9.55	11.17
7.58	8.37	12.30	1.11	**Sunday Trains**			
9.01	9.43	g1.05	2.08	**Portland Division**			
10.05	11.05	g1.20	2.40	12.07	1.21	3.28	4.46
11.17	12.00	2.15	3.11	8.40	4.46	5.15	6.45
12.07	1.01	2.50	3.41	5.26	7.10	8.45	9.53
1.51	2.38	4.00	4.42	8.55	10.03		
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4.12	5.25	5.33	6.35				
5.36	6.40	5.50	7.17				
16.55	7.28	6.14	7.18				
6.58	7.45	8.00	8.41				
8.22	9.05	8.30	9.11				
9.38	10.30	10.30	11.40				
		11.35	12.40				

Sunday Trains Southern Division

To Boston Lve.	Arr.	Fr. Boston Lve.	Arr.
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2.52	3.35	7.15	8.23
4.50	5.54	8.00	8.41
6.58	7.45	8.30	9.11
8.06	8.50	9.25	10.35
8.38	9.50	10.45	12.02
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THE SUN IS ON SALE AT BOTH NEWSSTANDS IN NORTH STATION, BOSTON

OLD HOME TOWN

GIVING HIM THE BLOOMIN' BOUNCE

Here you see the friendly way in which they initiate new members into the snowshoe clubs in Canada. Old members declare they can determine the caliber of initiates by the way they go through the stunt. If the "green" member bounces well, he is admitted.

NOTED BRITISH SOLDIER

Maj. Gen. Sir Charles Sackville-West to Wed Mrs. Anne Meredith Bigelow

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Maj. Gen. Sir Charles John Sackville-West noted British soldier and diplomat yesterday was granted a license to wed Mrs. Anne Meredith Bigelow. New York society woman. Mrs. Bigelow was granted a decree of divorce from Stephen S. Bigelow in Paris last October. She is the daughter of William D. Meredith.

Sir Charles, a widower, entered the British army in 1889, and served in India, South Africa and in France. He attained the rank of major general at the close of the World war and became one of the British representatives on the allied military committee at Versailles, assisting in the framing of the peace treaty. He was appointed military attache at the British embassy in Paris in 1920.

Mrs. Bigelow was formerly Anne Meredith, star actress of several Broadway productions, who was married three years ago to Stephen S. Bigelow, war hero and scion of one of Boston's wealthy families. She secured a divorce last July in Paris, basing her suit on her husband's "indifference."

Before her marriage Mrs. Bigelow made a hit in "Polly With a Past," "An Ideal Husband" and other attractions. At the time of the marriage she said it had been agreed that she should either continue on the stage or leave it, as she desired.

Legal Notices

Commonwealth of Massachusetts:— Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Clara Hoyle, sometimes called Clara E. Hoyle late of Lowell, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for probate, by Emma Regnier, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the fourteenth day of February, A. D. 1924 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, George F. Lawton Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-ninth day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four.

GEO. H. ALLARD, Jr., Attorney.
F. M. ESTY, Register.
j31 2-11.

Announcements

ANNOUNCEMENT—The Bankers Exchange Corp., formerly with offices at 202 Central st., has moved to the new offices at 317 Central st., over the Fisk Tire Shop, where they are prepared to meet their old customers and make new ones. If you want to buy or sell, get in touch right away with M. Gomos, real estate and general insurance, 317 Central st. Phone 3473.

LOST AND FOUND 2

TORTOISE SHELL GLASSES in case lost between Merrimack st. (at Suffolk) and Oak st. Reward if returned to Pentucket garage or 7 Oak st.

Legal Notices

Commonwealth of Massachusetts:— Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To all persons interested in any of the estate of C. Elliott Coburn, also called Clarence E. Coburn, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased, testate.

Whereas, Ina M. Vincent, formerly Ina M. Coburn of Washington, in the State of New Hampshire, has presented to said Court a petition, representing that she as the widow of said deceased, is interested in the property of said deceased in this Commonwealth, that **the whole of the property of said deceased remaining after the payment of debts and charges of administration does not exceed in value the sum of five thousand dollars;** and praying that the value of the property remaining after the payment of debts and charges of administration may be determined by said Court, according to law:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the seventh day of February, A.D. 1924, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each person interested who can be found within the Commonwealth, fourteen days, at least, before said Court; and if anyone cannot be so found, by publishing the same in the Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, once in each week, for three successive weeks, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy hereof of his last known address seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this seventeenth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four.

F. M. ESTY, Register.
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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Office of the Secretary
Boston, Jan. 17, 1924.

Notice is hereby given, of the discontinuance of the house of International Cotton Mills, Lowell Division, of Boston, as a Public Warehouseman within and for the City of Lowell by reason of its resignation of said office.

FREDERICK W. CLOK,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.
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AUTOMOBILE ACCESSORIES 17

AUTO TIRES PUT IN SHAPE now at Healy & Hilts's will carry through the winter. 401 Central st. Tel. 1569.

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RED LINE TAXI CO.—Taxi phone 6782. All cars insured.

ELECTRIC SERVICE

COTE ELECTRIC COMPANY AUTOMOTIVE ELECTRIC REPAIRS 531 DUTTON ST. TEL. 6-73.

ELECTRICIANS 33

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Business Service

UPHOLSTERING 44

CHAIR CUSHIONS made. Furniture upholstered. Coray, 18 Coral st. Tel. 1765.

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FURNITURE UPHOLSTERED and refinished. All work guaranteed. Lowell Furniture Repair Shop, 5 Lilacville sq. Tel. 6666.

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J. WOOD & SON—Piano and furniture moving, long distance general trucking. 78 Hampshire st. Tel. 2324-W.

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RHEUMATISM, neuralgia, neuritis, lumbago, sciatica, rheumatoid, arthritis, gout, catarrh, epilepsy.
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—Consultation Free—

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WINDOW SHADES—Contractors and individuals supplied at lowest prices. We manufacture. Chalifoux's Curtain Shop. Third floor.

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CHIMNEYS SWEPT, $2.50 a flue. J. M. Kelley, 191 Appleton st. Tel. 4711-M.

TREE PRUNING

PRUNING TREES, vines and shrubs. Experienced. Thomas Lee. Tel. 1012-W.

Employment

HELP WANTED—MALE 51

U. S. GOVERNMENT JOBS, pay $100 to $250 month. Men-women, 18 up. Steady. Short hours. Pleasant. Paid vacation. Schedule examination places free. Write sure today. Franklin Institute, Dept 132 K, Rochester, N. Y.

FAMILIES of skilled cotton mill workers for out-of-town mill. Moving expenses advanced. Meet agent Wed., Thurs. and Fri. at Middlesex Service Bureau, 169 Middlesex st.

SALESMEN AND AGENTS 53

BECOME REPRESENTATIVE large concern. Establish yourself permanently. Simplified method selling shoes factory to wearer. Your daily profit. Large. Apply immediately. Style-Arch Shoes, Cincinnati.

ONE FIRST CLASS TOOL MAKER and one first class machinist. Apply C. Penn Weiss, Supt. Amoskeag Steam Mfg. Co., Nashua, N. H.

Employment

SITUATIONS WANTED 54

WOMAN wants housecleaning by the hour or day. Reliable. Write M-8.

YOUNG MAN, handy in plumbing section as well as in garage, wants work of any kind for small salary. Write T-70, this office.

Financial

MONEY TO LOAN

CASH WANTED for 2nd and 3rd mortgages. Apply P. O. Box 1057.

Livestock

POULTRY 87

FOUNTAIN MARKET price paid for poultry of all kinds. Lowell Live Poultry Exchange, 244 Market st. Tel. 634.

Merchandise

ARTICLES FOR SALE 72

TWO STEVENSON KNITTING MACHINES, one wool one cotton, for sale. Two for $40. 182 Lakeview ave.

A DROP-HEAD SEWING MACHINE for sale, in good running condition. $15. Inquire at 15 Carter Ave. or phone 3012-M after 5 p. m.

CLOTHING Men's new and second hand clothing bought and sold. Students' Clothing Store, 359 Mid'lx st.

FURNITURE—Second hand and stoves of all kinds bought and sold. Quality Furniture Co. 329 Mid'lx st. Tel. 5231.

SMOKERS' SUPPLIES

ALL KINDS OF PIPES at right prices. P. & R. Smoke Shop, 242 Central st.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS 80

BARGAINS in new and used pianos, player-pianos and victrolas at Hounsell's, 701 Bridge st., near Tenth st.

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OLD MATTRESSES made over and repaired. Work called for and delivered. Phone 3492. West End Spring Bed Co., 88 Fletcher st.

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MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED a young business couple to room and board. 76 Bellevue st. Tel. 6169-Y.

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Rooms—Board

ROOMS FOR RENT 91

ROOMS for light housekeeping. Prices $1.00 and $2.50. New management. 175 Market st.

ROOMS for light housekeeping and steam heated rooms to let. 34 Tyler street.

FURNISHED ROOMS to let at 56 Ninth st.

FURNISHED ROOMS to let; private family, steam heat; use of phone; short distance from the square. Tel. 4515-M.

FRONT FURNISHED ROOM to let in Belvidere, gentleman preferred, private family. Tel. 3698-R.

Real Estate For Rent

APARTMENTS—TENEMENTS 94

4-ROOM KITCHENET AND STORE to let. Rent reasonable. 703 Merrimack st. Tel. 1135-Y.

4-ROOM TENEMENT to let, gas and electricity. Bath and open plumbing. 90 Lawrence st. Phone 1778-W.

SUNNY 4-ROOM TENEMENT to let. 124 High st. Tel. 6065-W.

FIRST CLASS TENEMENT of five rooms to let; bath, hot and cold water. Apply 50 Franklin st.

3 ROOM FURNISHED APARTMENT to let; steam heat, electric washing machine. Space for auto. Gendette, 217 Pawtucket Boulevard.

5-ROOM APARTMENTS with all modern conveniences and janitor service. Heated, hot and cold water. Finest apartments north of Boston. Apply to George Hanson, 196 Pawtucket st. Tel. 2955-M.

Real Estate For Sale

HOUSE FOR SALE 101

DOWN-TOWN LODGING HOUSE for sale; 12 rooms, very best of furniture, all conveniences, hardwood floors, electricity, 2 baths, steam heat, janitor service. Income $150 per month. Shown by Mr. Cyrus Chase. R. M. Humphrey Office. Tel. 5416.

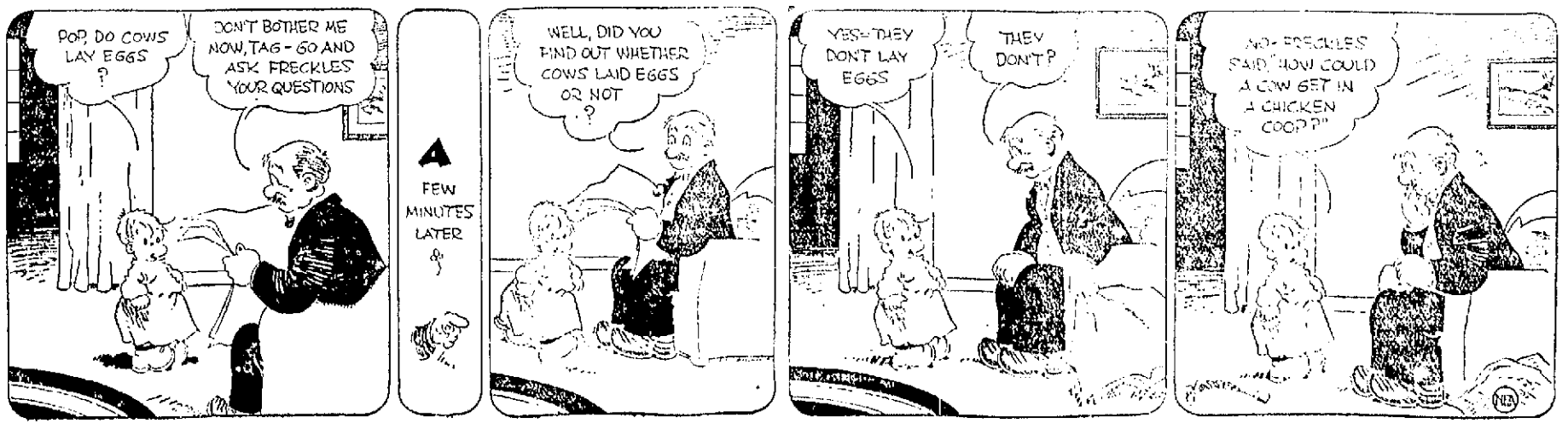
BUSINESS PROPERTY 103

POOL ROOM for sale, situated on Moody and fully equipped. For information call 58 Race st.

WANTED—REAL ESTATE 103

3-TENEMENT OR COTTAGE wanted in any good location, state price and particulars in first letter. I will pay cash for a good trade. Write H-88, Sun Office.

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



LOWELL'S GREATEST NEWSPAPER

THE LOWELL SUN

THURSDAY EVENING, JAN. 31, 1924

MILK PRICE REDUCTION

Distributors Promise Reduction of 1 Cent the Quart—Meeting Tonight

Thirteen-cent pasteurized milk for Lowell consumers is a possibility, beginning tomorrow morning. A reduction from the present price of 14 cents per quart is coming, prominent distributors said today.

Lowell and vicinity milk producers and distributors will hold a special meeting in this city tonight to discuss retail milk prices for the coming months. All association members have been requested to attend without fail.

It was reported today that the local delivery 14-cent retail quart price for pasteurized milk would be slashed to 13 cents, starting tomorrow morning, but no agreement has yet been reached by local distributors to make that reduction.

Supplies of fresh milk are increasing locally and sales have not been maintained owing to local industrial conditions.

Nearby members of the Lowell association attended the annual meeting of the New England Milk Producers' association, held in Boston yesterday, among them being Norman L. Peavey of Dracut, leader in the Lowell branch organization.

The future prices of milk, selling at wholesale and retail and probable prices that the farmer-raisers of milk will receive, starting tomorrow, was discussed at a closed conference by leading milk distributors after the close of the Boston convention program. Just what was done at this conference could not be learned today, but it is said that many distributors feel that retail prices can be cut one cent per quart at this time because of the increasing supply of pasteurized milk coming into Massachusetts from northern states.

Tonight's meeting of Lowell distributors plans to settle promptly the future retail price problem, and it was broadly prophesied this morning that 13-cent milk for Lowell consumers is a certainty starting tomorrow morning.

The Boston convention yesterday completed much business of importance to the New England milk producers and distributors. Farmers belonging to the N.E.M.P.A. hereafter will have more direct representation in the councils of that body. A plan adopted unanimously yesterday afternoon provides for increasing the voting delegates from 80 to 300.

Hitherto, a delegate voting has represented a district roughly corresponding to a county like Middlesex. Under the new plan from four to 10 delegates will be chosen from a county and will be selected from different areas so as to give the various communities a more local representation than they have had before. There are 22,000 members of the New England association at present and by the new plan it is expected that more of the influence of the annual meeting will go back to the individual members who are scattered widely about the New England states and upper New York.

Annual conventions in the future will be held in October instead of January, insuring large attendances at such gatherings. The association put itself on record yesterday as earnest supporters of all "grade A" milk laws and regulations. Uniform laws are to be fought for throughout New England from now on.

The re-election of Dr. George E. Little of Schaghticoke, N. Y., as president of the association, by the incoming board of directors, was announced last evening. R. A. Sikes of Ellington, Ct., was elected vice-president.

The directors were elected during the afternoon, as follows: Ralph L. Worthley, Strong, Me., to succeed E. L. McIntire who declined re-election; George M. Putnam, Contoocook, N. H., re-elected; Fred E. Gorham, West Newbury, re-elected; George Dunmore, St. Albans, Vt., to fill unexpired term of Mark Moody, Waterbury, Vt., who resigned; Elmer Poole, North Dartmouth, Mass., re-elected; Frank T. Peckham, Newport, R. I., to succeed E. H. Theinert, Albion, R. I., who declined re-election; R. A. Sikes, Ellington, Ct., re-elected; George E. Little, Schaghticoke, N. Y., re-elected.

Other officers chosen by the delegates were: Clerk, Richard Pattee, Boston, re-elected; treasurer, H. L. Webster, West Canaan, N. H., re-elected; auditors, Chauncy Gleason, Haverhill, and S. M. Guptil, Waterbury, Vt., both re-elected.

LONDON PROFESSOR CANCELS VISIT TO U. S.

AMHERST, Jan. 31.—President George D. Olds announced at the Amherst college chapel service this morning that Prof. Ernest Barker, principal of King's college, London, who was expected to reach Amherst next week to be in residence for the remainder of the winter term as lecturer in history and political science, has been obliged to cancel his engagement, on account of his wife's death, which occurred last Sunday. Professor Barker was also to have delivered the Lowell lectures at Harvard.

TONIGHT

Thos. Talbot Memorial Hall
North Billerica

"MAKING DADDY BEHAVE"

Three-Act Comedy Drama

8 O'Clock—Tickets 50¢

ALTISSIMA DRAMATIC CLUB

NOTICE

The ninety-sixth semi-annual meeting of the Lowell Co-operative Association will be held in Odd Fellows building, Middlesex street, Lowell, Friday Evening, Feb. 1, 1924, at 8 o'clock p. m., for election of officers and such other business as may legally come before it.

E. D. TUCKE, Pres.
J. S. MacINNIS, Clerk.

THEIR ANNUAL BANQUET

Lowell Retail Druggists' Association Members Make Merry at Meeting

The pharmacopeia was forgotten by the druggists of Lowell last night when every drug store was locked up as tight as a pullman car window and all the prescription compounders put their feet under the long tables at Marie's for their annual banquet and get-together. You might not imagine that the bespectacled, careful, serious-countenanced soul that generally wraps up your prescription or sells you a stamp at cost ever "steps out" but he does—once a year at least. And last night was his night and he made the most of it. Hilarity reached great heights at the banquet and the war tax, luxury tax, income tax and tobacco tax were all temporarily dismissed from mind. This morning saw the druggists all back at their counters, ready to pound a mean pestle if the occasion demanded, but beneath their drug store tan quite flushed with pardonable pride and exaltation at the success of last night's affair.

To get right down to facts, as the doctor does in his prescription, the affair was run off by the Lowell Retail Druggists association. John Walsh, local president, was toastmaster. The principal speakers were Fred Jones of Lowell, president of the state association, James T. Finneran of Boston and Representative Fred O. Lewis of Lowell. A ladies' orchestra played during the dinner and also afforded accompaniment for Frank McCartin and Joseph Craven who pleased with songs.

William H. Noonan was chairman of the banquet committee. He was assisted by the association officers and the following members of the executive committee, President John Walsh, Secretary Fred Jones, Vice President Lucien Brunelle, Frank Finnerty and Charles Devno.

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J. F. Donohoe, 222-223 Hildreth Bldg., real estate and insurance. Telephone.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael McInerney of Merrimack street are rejoicing over the arrival of a new daughter. Mr. McInerney is the well known window trimmer of the Gagnon company.

Earl D. Prescott, of 166 D street, enlisted in the navy yesterday as a fireman, 3rd class, through the local recruiting office. During the war he served in the Naval Reserve forces for four years.

Paul Hoban, six-year-old son of Police Chauffeur Leo Hoban of 82 Pleasant street, was presented an autographed baseball, a "Babe" Ruth product, last night. The ball was used in the final game of the 1923 World Series between the two New York teams and was captured by Umpire "Rob" Hart.

Jack Ravold, stage director of the Luttringer Stock company, has returned after a three-day visit to New York city.

A chimney fire at 172 Mansur street was responsible for a telephone alarm at 12.08 this afternoon. The damage was slight.

The condition of Hoseman James H. Tracy of Hose 13, Central street, who was injured Tuesday evening when he fell from the hosewagon while answering an alarm, was reported at St. John's hospital today to be slightly improved.

The cake sale to be conducted in Gagnon's by the United Irish societies of Lowell for the benefit of the Irish concert on March 17, is scheduled for one week from Friday and not tomorrow, as previously reported.

The annual tour to New York, Philadelphia and Washington, personally conducted by Leo A. King, master of the Edson school and Thomas A. Ginty, director of the Continuation school, will this year be held from April 25 to May 2.

George Rees, of 27 Middlesex park, enlisted this morning for service as an apprentice seaman in the navy, through the local recruiting office. He will be sent to the Newport training station for two months.

James Sykes, formerly employed here as a machinery erector at the Saco-Lowell shops, has returned to his old home in Montgomery, Ala. Residents of the Y.M.C.A. dormitory, where he formerly lived, this week received cards from him.

Walker Leonard, of 117 Coburn street, joined the army this morning at the Lowell recruiting station. He will be detailed to the 3rd Cavalry, stationed at Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont. Leonard was born in Lancashire county, in the town of Oldham, England.

The navy recruiting officer, Chief Waitertender Frederick, reports 9 first enlistments and 2 reenlistments for the month of January. Sergt. Kimball, in charge of the army station here reports 15 first enlistments and 2 reenlistments.

VETERAN NEW YORK BANKER RETIRES

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Arthur Kavanaugh, vice president of the National City bank of New York, retired today after more than fifty years of service with the institution. Entering the bank as an office boy in 1872, Mr. Kavanaugh rose step by step to the position of vice president serving under six different presidents.

SOUTHWORTH AGENT OF PACIFIC MILLS

LAWRENCE, Mass., Jan. 31.—Announcement was made today of the appointment of Irving Southworth as agent of the Pacific mills, to succeed Walter E. Parker, who becomes agent emeritus. Mr. Southworth has been acting agent for several years.

ENTERTAINMENT and DANCE
By The St. Peter's Cadet Football Squad
TOMORROW NIGHT
Lincoln Hall—Admission 40¢

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PUTTING THE WALTZ ON BUSTER —

NEW WORLD'S INDOOR RECORD ESTABLISHED

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—(By the Associated Press) Establishment of a new world's indoor record of 6.5-5 seconds for the 50 yard high hurdles by Karl Anderson, of the Illinois Athletic club, in capturing this event at the Milrose Track and Field carnival last night in Madison Square Garden, was announced today by A. A. U. officials after a recheck of performances.

WILL BROADCAST LECTURE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—Ten thousand alumni of George Washington university will be able to sit comfortably in their distant homes or clubs next Tuesday night and pick out of the air a lecture by President William Mathew Lewis. President Lewis arranged with the Radio Corporation of America to address the alumni from the local broadcast station as a part of the university's endowment campaign.

SPECIAL
Balance of Our $2.50 WORSTED UNION SUITS
$1.39
First quality—mixed grey color—all sizes—a remarkable garment at a very low price.

HARRISON'S
MARK DOWN SALE

SPECIAL CLEANUP
25c, 35c and 50c Geo. P. Ide and Triangle SOFT COLLARS
Some white, mostly tan—silks and cottons—broken sizes, 14 to 19½.
50c doz.

MEN'S FURNISHINGS

FRIDAY and SATURDAY—Will supercede all other days for value-giving—with our stocks a lot smaller and therefore more broken in size and pattern—We've marked them down still lower to ensure a complete cleanout—Come in and look around.

SEMI-SOFT COLLARS
Geo. P. Ide make. Seconds of 25c and 35c grade. Most all sizes..... 4 for 50c 14c

65c Government Wool Hose..... 35c
Daisy Knit Guaranteed Hose.. 18c
35c Heavy Wool Hose..... 16c
$1.00 All Wool English Hose..... 59c
$1.50 Grey or Khaki Flannel Shirts.... 98c
$3.50 Silk Front Shirts $1.19
$2 Extra Strong Repp Shirts.... $1.39

A CLEANUP OF $2 and $3 MEN'S SHIRTS
Some silks, some cotton. Broken patterns..... $1.00

$8.50 All Wool Ring Neck Sweaters.... $6.48
$4.00 Light or Dark Sport Sweaters.... $2.98
$7.50 Pure Worsted Sport Sweaters... $4.95

SEMI-LINED FUR GLOVES
In grey or tan mocha; very warm. Regular $4.50..... $2.89

SCOTCH WOOL LINED GLOVES
In grey with snap wrister. Regular $3.50. $1.95

75c Knit Ties 19c
35c Boston Garters.... 16c
$1.00 Fabric Gloves.....55c
50c Jazz Bows.....19c
20c Canvas Gloves.....12c
$2.50 Kid Gloves.....79c
Brush Wool Scarfs.....98c

"MUNSINGWEAR" HEAVY RIBBED UNION SUITS
Regular or stouts. Were $2.00..... $1.39

$2.00 Three Season Ribbed Union Suits $1.12
$1.50 Grey Wool Underwear 95c
$3.50 Silk Stripe One Button Union Suits.... $1.95
$4 Heavy White Wool Underwear $2.69
$3 Wool Process Union Suits.... $1.85
$1.00 Fleece Lined Underwear..... 59c

HEAVY RIBBED UNDERWEAR
Ecru color, silk trimmed, all sizes. Regular $1.00 ..... 69c

HARRISON'S
166 CENTRAL ST.

THE LOWELL NAVY CLUB

Dance by Lowell's Own Sailors in Associate Hall Tomorrow Night

Lowell's own sailors will entertain at their dance in Associate hall Friday evening as only sailors can, in a real salty navy hop. Extensive plans have been made by the various committees in charge, and by their untiring efforts nothing has been left undone to make this party one of the outstanding features of the social season.

Omer Allard, chairman of the decorating committee, has a surprise in store for all who have never had the opportunity of seeing a "battle wagon" dressed upon a gala day.

Arrangements have been made for a special musical program, one that will be in keeping with the usual navy

HORATIUS B. LEGGAT

way of entertaining, by Miner & Doyle's singing orchestra.

Harold J. O'Brien, chairman of the dance committee and one who has always tried to keep the navy well represented at all military and social functions in Lowell, states that all is now in shipshape condition, tickets have been in great demand and many novel dances are in store for those who attend. He also says that he expects several officers from the first naval district to be present.

Paymaster Leggat of the club assures all dance lovers of a good time. It was through Mr. Leggat's suggestions and untiring efforts, together with a few other loyal supporters of naval ideas, that the Lowell Navy club was organized only a few months ago. All members are naval veterans and although started with only a few mem-

HAROLD J. O'BRIEN

bers, the club now stands as one of the thriving organizations in the city. Its members are banded together to perpetuate military and social functions. Up to the present time its social undertakings have proven very successful. One of the greatest achievements was the Navy Day celebration last October. It is the intention of the club, as it is the intention of all similar clubs throughout the country, to make this an annual event and to give to the people of this city a real naval celebration on this day. Plans are also underway for extensive water sports and athletic events on the Merrimack river this coming summer.

The club's foremost service, however, will come on Memorial Day when the Navy club will band together to honor departed shipmates.

The officers of the dance follow: Skipper Fred Emerson, Executive Officer Francis Coward, Paymaster Harold O'Brien, Officer of the Deck Horatius B. Leggat, Junior Officer of the Deck Arthur Moran and Quartermaster Leo Robbins.

The following men have been designated as "deck hands": James H. Casey, Rollin R. Frederick, George O. Allard, Charles M. Collins, Charles N. A. Dupont, Alphonse J. Belanger, John E. Croteau, John E. Burchall, Joseph A. Dubuque, Theodore F. Hobson, John Joyce, Edward R. Dean, Prim Turcotte, Ludger T. Ray, Arthur D. Gilmore, William J. Grenier, George G. McDonagh, Albert Smith, J. J. Cassidy, Robert J. Lardner, Joseph A. Rumney, Napoleon J. Vigeant, Phillip B. Reddon, Arthur Boisvert, Stephen J. Sullivan, Harold R. Herbert and Joseph Reardon.

PLAN WINTER CARNIVAL

Meeting Last Night of Committee in Charge of Proposed Event

Delegates from various organizations and schools interested in the promotion of Lowell's second annual winter carnival met last night with the carnival committee of the Ad club at the chamber of commerce rooms. Geo. H. Wood presided at the meeting and Miss Mabel Whitlock acted as secretary.

Those present were George F. Wells, chamber of commerce; Edward J. Mellen, Boy Scouts; John Shields, Y.M.C.I.; Frank MacLean, L. C. Clark and A. J. Ryan, Lowell Driving club; Miss Irene Matthews, J. Paul Doherty, Maurice Lambert and Fred Nevery, Lowell Advertising club; C. E. Towne, Y.M.C.A.; Harold Tucker, High School Winter Sports club; William Walsh, Highland Improvement association; Horace Proctor, Rotary club; Paul Sullivan, Butler school; Miss Olga Shay, Greenhalge school; Miss Nelle Horner and Miss Mary F. Carroll, Moody school; Frank O'Brien, Varnum school; Miss Sadie Melancon, Girls' City club; John McTague, Silesia A. A.; Hector Dubois, Centralville Social club; William Crossland, Ponies; Miss Helen H. McGowan, Riverside school, and Chief Saunders, fire department.

Councilor Lambert stated arrangements have been made to provide nurses and doctors at Fort Hill park throughout the days of the carnival. Mr. Mellen, scout executive, promised his troops would turn out strong for any work that might be assigned them.

Frank MacLean reported that the Driving club had arranged a card of three snappy sleigh races. The Ponies and the High School Sports club will have a skating race between representative teams of four men each. The Motorcycle club will run a hill-climb and a football game is to be arranged between the Ponies and Princetons, this to be played on the snow for one 15-minute period.

Arthur Walden of Woodsville, N. H., will bring down his famous dog team, led by the great Chinook, and remain for three days. Mr. Wood announced. As expected, the winter sport style show and ball at the Auditorium will be the main feature of the carnival and great interest is to centre on the selection there of a carnival king and queen. More entries than ever are expected in the style show as the rules have been changed to permit young women not in knickers yet garbed in winter sports costume, to enter. The committee is still open to suggestions from the public. Mr. Wood may be reached at his studio in the Fairburn building or Mr. Doherty reached at the A. G. Pollard store.

SUMMARY OF EARLY MORNING A. P. NEWS

Navy department orders light cruiser Omaha and six destroyers to stay at Vera Cruz until further notice.

Defiance of John L. Lewis creates disorder in United Mine Workers' convention at Indianapolis.

Mrs. Emily Newell Blair tells democratic women at Cleveland that direct responsibility for the Tea Pot Dome "scandal" rests with President Coolidge and the republican party.

Three persons are killed and eleven hurt when Buffalo-Pittsburgh express of the Pennsylvania railroad is derailed at Flag station, 22 miles south of Franklin, Pa.

Halton Siddell confesses that he killed John A. Mazzola, a fellow student at Ohio Dental college, after a dispute over a girl.

Gov. Smith reappoints William J. Muldoon as member of New York state athletic commission.

APPROPRIATION BILL

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—The house today passed its first appropriation bill, that for the interior department, after a futile attempt had been made at the last minute to direct discontinuance July 1 next of 21 land offices.

TOMORROW NIGHT
FIRST ANNUAL DANCE OF LOWELL NAVY CLUB
Miner-Doyle's Orchestra —— Associate Hall
ADMISSION ..... 55 CENTS

KASINO
ROLLER SKATING EVERY AFTERNOON and EVENING
On Monday, Wednesday, Friday, Saturday Night, Lowell Cadet Band
Wednesday Night of This Week—Old Timers' Party with Band
ADMISSION ..... 10 CENTS

DANCE TONIGHT
Bay State Dancing School
Featuring Leo Daly's Orchestra, Playing the latest New York Dancing Music.
Ladies 40¢ —— Checking Free —— Gentlemen 50¢

Associate - Tonight
HERLIHY'S ORCHESTRA
Latest Dance Music—Admission 40¢
WONDER TRIP COUPONS Will Be Given to Each Person—Drawing of Lucky Number on Saturday Night.

THE WEATHER

Fair and colder tonight; Friday fair and continued cold; west to northwest winds.

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WALSH OIL RESOLUTION ADOPTED

Sec. Davis Booed at Convention

TO ANNOUNCE CAUSE OF OBNOXIOUS GASES AT LOCAL SCHOOL

Samples of Gas-laden Air to Be Subjected to Analysis By Department of Public Health—Observations of Chief Chemist Weston

(Special to The Sun.)

BOSTON, Jan. 31.—Within a few days the expert analysts of the state department of public health expect to be able to announce exactly the cause of the gases which have become so obnoxious at the Cobot street school in Lowell, and in and about various buildings in that vicinity.

Samples of the gas-laden air have been taken by Arthur H. G. Booth of Lowell, one of the experts in the department, and are to be subjected to analysis in a machine owned by the department which will disclose the various factors entering into the samples examined. The machine, incidentally, is the only one of its kind in the eastern section of the country.

Four samples have been taken by Mr. Booth. One was taken from street manholes near the school; another from the coal pocket within the school buildings; a third from the A. & P. store a short distance away from the school, where the odor has been most objectionable, and a fourth from the purifying room at the gas works.

By comparing the first three samples with the fourth, it will be possible for the experts to determine whether the odors arise from illuminating gas, or from the gases

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SPECIAL MEETING OF COUNCIL TOMORROW EVENING

No Action Expected on Mayor's Nominations—Meeting Called for Purpose of Drawing Another Venire of Jurors——City Hall News

No action upon nominations by the mayor is expected at the second special city council meeting of the current week to be held tomorrow night at 8.30 o'clock. The meeting is called for the purpose of drawing another venire of jurors and Pres. James J. Gallagher will make an attempt to take up routine business as well. There is a considerable grist of routine matters waiting for action and it is the president's belief they should be cleared up and thus shorten the regular meeting on February 5.

Prior to the council meeting there will be meetings of the finance committee and the committee on public property. The latter will discuss the proposition to reconstruct the old Durkee house along lines suggested by four associated architects, who have drawn up plans and estimates of cost.

Debt and Interest Charges

City debt payments this year will amount to $499,420, against $500,770 in 1923, according to a schedule prepared by City Auditor Daniel E. Martin. In-

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PRES. COOLIDGE CONFERS WITH SENATE LEADERS ON OIL LEASES

Both Democratic and Republican Leaders Summoned to White House—Author of Annulment Resolution Called—Doctors Examine Fall

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—Both democratic and republican leaders of the senate were consulted by President Coolidge today just before the debate on the Walsh oil lease annulment resolution was resumed.

After the ranking senators in the republican senate organization had paid an early call at the White House, the president summoned Senator Walsh, democrat, Montana, who has had a dominant part in the oil inquiry, and Senator Robinson of Arkansas, the democratic floor leader and author of the resolution calling for the resignation of Secretary Denby.

While House officials said the

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NEW PLAN TO REDUCE TAXES

Would Cut Rates to 2 P. C. on Incomes of $5000 and 4 P. C. Under $8000

Proposed in Joint Resolution Presented in House—Republicans Object

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—Reduction of the 1923 personal income taxes, which are payable this year on the basis of the democratic tax revision plan, which would cut the normal rates to 2 per cent on incomes of $5000, and 4 per cent under $8000, was proposed in a joint resolution presented to the house today by Representative Garner, democrat, Texas.

Chairman Green of the house ways and means committee and author of the proposal adopted by the republican members of the committee yesterday to cut the 1923 taxes about 25 per cent, as a part of the general revision bill, objected to immediate consideration of the resolution when it was asked for by Mr. Garner.

Republican members of the ways and means committee struck a snag in their private consideration of the tax bill today upon reaching the surtaxes, which a division of opinion developed in Secretary Mellon's proposal to cut the surtax rates from a maximum of 50 per cent to 25 per cent.

Other differences developed on whether to determine the normal tax rate reductions first and frame the surtax rates on the basis of these cuts or to reverse the proposition.

Regardless of differences over the surtax rates Chairman Green said all republicans of the committee had agreed to abide by the decision of their majority for purposes of getting the bill favorably reported from committee. This action, however, he said, would not bind the members to support the rates when the bill reaches the house.

NEW STREET RAILWAY WAITING ROOM

A larger and more conveniently located waiting room for street railway passengers will be opened in the near future in the store formerly occupied by the Royal Bakers in the Grosvenor block, and which is now being remodelled for its new occupants.

A chain candy store firm owned by a Mr McWright of Providence, R. I., will occupy this store as soon as it is remodelled and an agreement has already been entered into between Mr. McWright and the street railroad company for the use of the store as a waiting room.

The store is centrally located and when completed will have entrances on Merrimack street and on the alley leading from the rear of the store to Paige street. This latter feature will be of especial benefit to patrons of the street railway company who live in the Centralville district as it will afford direct exit to Paige street from where the Centralville cars are despatched.

At the present time a temporary waiting room is located in Gallagher's candy store, which is several doors above the new waiting room.

It is believed that the new waiting room will be ready for occupancy within a few months. With its completion street railway officials believe the waiting rom problem in this city, which has been a subject of controversy for many months will be permanently solved.

HOWLS AND BOOES GREET SEC. DAVIS WHEN INTRODUCED BY PRES. LEWIS AT MINERS' MEETING

IMPERIAL DIET IS DISSOLVED

Scenes of Greatest Disorder in Which Flasks Were Thrown and Fists Used

Disturbance Resulted During Discussion of Attempt to Wreck Train at Nagoya

TOKIO, Jan. 31.—(By The Associated Press.) The imperial diet was dissolved today after scenes of the greatest disorder, in which water flasks were thrown and fists used. The disturbance resulted from attempts of the opposition to interpellate the government regarding the attempted wrecking of a train at Nagoya, carrying opposition leaders to Tokio.

The turbulent scenes which occurred in the lower house made further business impossible. The outburst came shortly after the representatives had

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THE AUTOMOBILE SHOW

This is "Governor's Day" at Lowell's Big Auto Exhibit in Auditorium

Lieutenant-Governor Fuller Will Represent Governor Cox Here This Evening

No Lowell automobile show, of course, would be quite de trop without superior inspection by a capable representative of the commonwealth of Massachusetts' official family. When you can't get a governor, a lieutenant-governor fills the bill admirably.

Tonight from Beacon Hill comes the Hon. Alvin T. Fuller, lieutenant-governor of Massachusetts by choice of the people but only an automobile bus-

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MEMBER FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

Tomorrow

INTEREST

Begins on Savings Accounts

Middlesex National Bank

Under Supervision of the United States Government

Merrimack cor. Palmer

Basketball and Dance

TONIGHT—7.45 O'CLOCK

St. Anne's Parish Hall

Two Game

Preliminary—Unity A.C. vs. Y.M. H.A. Juniors. Main—St. Anne's A.C. vs. American Glue Co.

Boston City Champs.

Admission 50c. Preliminary at 7.15

WILD SCENES AT INDIANAPOLIS

Lewis Demands Respectful Hearing for "Member of the President's Cabinet"

Declares Honor of Organization at Stake—Members on Trial Before the Country

Calls for Those Unwilling to Hear Speaker to Leave Hall—Prolonged Applause

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Jan. 31.—By the Associated Press—Howls and boos greeted James J. Davis, secretary of labor when he was introduced by John L. Lewis to the biennial convention of the United Mine Workers of America here today. Lewis had asked for a re-

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NO SUCH THING AS WINTER CARNIVAL WITHOUT SNOW

All that is needed to make a success of the second annual winter carnival here is snow, and plenty of it, before next Wednesday. Wednesday and Thursday of next week have been set as the tentative carnival dates and unless we have a good snowfall before that time there is not the slightest prospect of the carnival then taking place. Postponements to tentative dates will follow indefinitely until Mother Earth is given an ermine mantle.

The discussion last night of the joint carnival committee, at which plans for carnival sports events were made, was tentured by weather conditions that tended to swerve one's mind more to baseball than hockey. It was truly "Babe" Ruth weather. While the discussion for one part of the evening was about dog teams the atmospheric condition would have made talk of dog days seemingly more apropos.

ANDERSON TO APPEAL HIS CONVICTION

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Wilson H. Anderson, state supt. of the Anti-Saloon League of New York, will appeal his conviction by a supreme court jury on a forgery charge, its chief counsel, former Governor Charles S. Whitman announced today.

FEAR MILITARY DICTATORSHIP

ATHENS, Jan. 31.—(By Associated Press.)—Fear that a military dictatorship headed by General Pangalos may follow the resignation of the Venizelos government, is expressed by anti-Venizelist circles. Republican newspapers report that the royalist party is organizing.

N. Y. AND BOSTON CLEARINGS

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Exchanges, $815,000,000; balances, $72,000,000.

BOSTON, Jan. 31.—Exchanges, $67,000,000; balances, $24,000,000.

REBEL LOSSES TOTAL 1880

1300 Captured, 400 Killed and 180 Wounded in Fall of Esperanza

Federals Also Seize 1500 Rifles, 14 Machine Guns and 3 Pieces of Artillery

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 31.—(By radio, via Fort Worth Star Telegram.)—(By the Associated Press.)—Total rebel losses during engagements resulting in federal capture of Esperanza and Boca Monte were 1880, according to official reports to the war department by General Martinez. The number includes 1300 prisoners, 400 dead and 180 wounded. War material captured includes 1500 rifles, 14 machine guns

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CLAIMS THAT BUILDINGS CONSTITUTE NUISANCE

Frederic S. Harvey, sitting as auditor at the Gorham street courthouse this morning heard evidence in the dispute between Evareste Monbleau against Louis Marion et al, referred to him for final decision by the superior court. The plaintiff, who is represented by Frank Goldman as attorney, owns a lot of land on the northeast side of Rosemont street and property of the defendants abuts on the south.

Plaintiff claims that buildings erected by the defendants on their property project onto his property and so constitute a nuisance. Hamel and Gerson, attorneys for the defendants, make a general denial.

Master's Session Tomorrow

Failing to complete the hearing yesterday Mr. Harvey will again tomorrow sit as master in the action of D. A. Sakelarios and Antigone P. Genaris. This hearing is on a bill in equity brought by the former for an accounting and praying that the defendant be ordered to discharge, upon payment of such sums as may be decided are due, on mortgages on real estate owned by the plaintiff.

In this matter there is also involved a civil suit brought by Mr. Genaris who would recover about $5000 on a series of promissory notes running from 1912. The master's report in this case is to be made to the superior court. H. B. Ross of Boston is attorney for Mr. Sakelarios while Quin, Howard & Rogers by Albert S. Howard, represent Mr. Genaris.

Four Courts to Sit

With this hearing on tomorrow at the courthouse it will make four separate sessions scheduled for various parts of the Gorham street building tomorrow. Two probate court judges will hold sessions and in addition U. S. Commissioner Richard B. Walsh is to take up the Salisbury beach rum-running cases of a week ago.

On Saturday the Tryon Carter case involving charges against Edward R. Tryon, Harry F. Doherty, Fred Leary and W. C. Gray who are alleged by the postoffice department to have used the mails fraudulently, will come up before Commissioner Walsh.

GUARANTEED 20 P. C. PROFIT ON LIQUOR

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Federal authorities today commenced an investigation of the transmission, through the United States mails of a circular issued by Lieut. Col. Sir Broderick Hartwell of London, England, guaranteeing a profit of 20 per cent to investors, each sixty days, through the exportation of liquor from England.

NOT ENGAGED

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Dr. James G. Green and his daughter Miss Eleanor Margaret Green, today announced that no agreement existed between Mr. Green and Prince Viggo of Denmark. The engagement was announced in court circles in Copenhagen last month and later denied by Dr. Green.

The prince arrived here yesterday on the Majestic.

SCHOOL BOARD TO DENY REQUEST FOR SALARY INCREASES

Growing Belief That Petitioners Will Be Given Leave to Withdraw—Sub-Committee Will Report to Full Board Tomorrow Evening

The rumor continues to gain moment from in municipal circles that the school committee will turn down all requests for salary and wage increases presented to it by teachers and janitors this year. Economic conditions and the state of city finances are freely being discussed and while no member of the board has publically stated his stand on the matter, there is a growing belief that when it comes to a show down the petitioners will be given leave to withdraw.

The main reason being advanced in an effort to substantiate the rumor that no increases will be granted is that present conditions, coupled with the

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NEXT TO SELLING BAD RUM IS THE SELLING OF BAD FOOD

Judge Pickman Flashes Short But Firm Truths in District Court—Has No Sympathy for the Dealer Who Sells Inferior Goods

Judge John J. Pickman presided at this morning's session of the district court. In imposing a $20 fine on Philip Schnider for two violations of the pure food laws, he said that next to selling bad rum, there is nothing more injurious than selling bad food. Schnider is alleged to have disposed of a quantity of adulterated sausages. "I have absolutely no sympathy for a wholesaler or retailer selling inferior goods," said the judge. "A man deceives his

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PRESIDENT DIRECTED TO PROCEED WITH SUITS TO ANNUL LEASES

Walsh Resolution Calling Upon President to Proceed With Suits to Annul Doheny and Sinclair Oil Leases Adopted by Senate

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—The Walsh resolution directing the president to proceed with suits to annul the Doheny and Sinclair oil leases was adopted today by the senate.

Final action was taken after all efforts to modify the language of the resolution so as to eliminate direct charges that the leases were entered into without authority and in violation of the law had been voted down.

The vote was unanimous on the final roll call. Eighty-eight senators cast their ballots.

The senate reached an agreement at 2 o'clock today, to begin voting after allowing an additional twenty minutes of debate on pending amendments to the Walsh annulment resolutions and on the resolution itself.

Under the agreement proposed by Senator Robinson, of Arkansas, the democratic leaders considering the resolution asking for the resignation of Secretary Denby will be in order after the vote on the Walsh measure.

Denby "Initiated" Transfer

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—Secretary Denby "initiated" transfer of the California and Wyoming naval oil reserves to the interior department, Rear Admiral Latimer, judge advocate general of the navy today told the house naval committee.

The admiral said Mr. Denby had told him he had "initiated the transfer after investigating the question and consulting with various experts."

After becoming a member of the cabinet, the witness explained, Mr. Denby became convinced of the necessity of taking prompt action to prevent further depletion of oil in the navy's reserves but had no oil shares in his department which could influence his judgment.

Admiral Latimer said that [illegible] were convinced that the leasing and [illegible] were tainted with fraud and corruption" and that it was good policy for the government to cancel them.

If the government would lose money by the action, the government would merely be cutting off its nose to spite its face to throw up the contracts. If [illegible] the courts by appeal to the [illegible] of the public they should be revoked.

[illegible] Admiral Latimer said he had [illegible] the leases on the grounds [illegible] the contracts with Doheny and Sinclair at the time they were effected. He steadfastly declined to [illegible] as to whether he believed the leases as a whole were fraudulent.

Lodge Criticizes Denby

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—A move to crack the Robinson resolution calling for the resignation of Secretary Denby to the Walsh oil lease annulment measure was taken today, immediately after the senate convened. The amendment was sponsored by Senator Trammell, democrat, Florida.

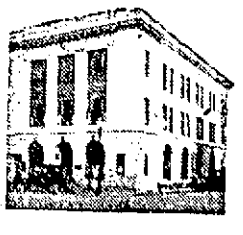
Immediate opposition was voiced by Senator Lodge of Massachusetts, the republican leader, who declared he would "resist very strongly" such a declaration by congress. There was only one way by which the legislative branch could remove a cabinet officer, he said, and that was by impeachment.

Senator Lodge described the Trammell proposal as "an attempt to force the hands of the president in the exercise of a discretion which is his alone." He agreed that Secretary Denby should have resisted the efforts made to influence him to agree to transfer of oil reserves to the interior department, and continued.

"I do not approve of the public statement which the secretary of the navy made the day before yesterday. There is no evidence yet in the hearings or elsewhere, however, which demonstrates or shows in any way that the Secretary Denby is other than an honest man, however mistaken and however wrong he was. There is no proof that would stand a moment in any court, that he was guilty of anything more than very mistaken judgment, lack of competency, if you choose to call it so."

Woodrow Wilson has been ill for two days but physicians say his present indisposition has nothing to do with Mr. Wilson's former state condition and it is hoped he does not consider his present illness serious.

Interest Begins Saturday, Feb. 2nd



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228 Central St.

LOWELL INSTITUTION FOR SAVINGS 1829 1924 INTEREST BEGINS FEBRUARY 2 ESTABLISHED 1829

LARGE YELLOW DOG lost, short haired. Collar has no name on it. Phone 3187-J.

LOWELL'S LATEST CLUB IS THE PAINT AND POT

The Paint and Pot club had its inception last night at the home of Merton Rodger on Florence avenue when several young men of Lowell who are interested in art assembled there to organize as an association for the production and study of fine arts.

The charter members include students and graduates of The Students Art league of New York, New School of Design, Boston Normal Art school, Boston Museum of Fine Arts. They are: Francis J. Durant, William C. Plante, Gerald R. McCann, Joseph Perreault, John J. Drumm, William P. Lester, Merton L. Rodger, George H. Keefe, Thomas J. Salmon, William Taylor, Everett Taylor and Howard Lewis.

Mr. Durant was elected temporary chairman, and called the meeting to order. The business of the meeting was to choose a name for the organization and to draw up a constitution.

It was unanimously voted to volunteer the services of the club to the Winter Carnival committee to design posters or in any other way that they may be of service. Their offer was accepted by Mr. Wood for the carnival committee.

Sun classified ads bring results.

To Announce Cause of Gases at Local School

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thrown off from the trunk sewer which passes close to the corner of the school building.

Arthur D. Weston, chief chemist of the department, who visited Lowell and looked over the situation, is of the opinion that two distinct kinds of gas are involved, and that two separate causes must be found. This opinion he bases upon his observation that the gases smelled in the Cabot school are not the same as those smelled at manholes in the street. The former, he is certain, is illuminating gas; the others, he is equally convinced, are the gases which naturally arise from a sewer, but which in this instance may be stronger than usual because of the presence of waste from the gas works.

Should his deductions be proven correct, it will be necessary to find a gas leak somewhere in the immediate vicinity of the Cabot school. That will remedy the trouble so far as that particular smell is concerned.

For the other, he suggests three possible remedies. One is the construction of another sewer, to carry wastes from the gas works direct to the river, an expensive undertaking. Another is treatment of the sewage with chlorine, or some other deodorant which will remove its offensive qualities. The third is to "plug up" the places through which the gases now escape from the sewer.

In connection with the last remedy, he points out that in the vicinity of the store, above referred to, there are several old pipes which formerly used for entering the trunk sewer, but which are no longer in use. They have been permitted to remain, however, and to all intents and purposes serve merely as a vent for the sewer. Mr. Weston suggests that the ground about the end of these pipes should be filled in solidly, or the pipes removed entirely and their entrance to the sewer plugged.

HOYT.

THE SHOP OF THE UNUSUAL

When looking for something unusual in the way of a gift or a prize for your bridge party, or a birthday gift—come to the fascinating little shop on the third floor. Let us help you.

The Gift Shop

The Bon Marché DRY GOODS CO.

THEODORE HAVILAND CHINA

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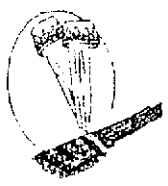

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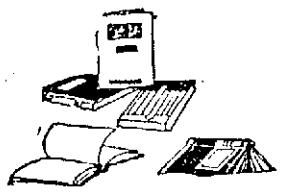

BUY ONE BOOK EACH MONTH

Friday, February 1, is a good day to keep that resolution to buy and read one good book each month.

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The World Crisis, Winston Churchill $6.50

Joseph Conrad's Books (Concord edition) $2.50

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Women's All Linen Handkerchief 17c

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Shoe Shop Street Floor

DAWES COMMITTEE TO HEAR HUGO STINNES

BERLIN, Jan. 31.—(By the Associated Press.) The scene of the inquiry into German finances shifted to the capital of the Reich today as the first committee of experts, headed by Brig.-General Charles G. Dawes settled down for perhaps two weeks of work on Germany's budget and currency problems.

Assurances of the complete co-operation not only of the government but also of financiers and banks, it appeared, would make the experts' task chiefly that of formulating their conclusions from the vast amount of data which will be laid before them.

Many prominent industrialists, financiers and transportation magnates have signified their willingness to give the committee all facts and figures at their disposal.

Hugo Stinnes and several leading bankers are among those who indirectly have agreed to offer testimony.

PROBE ODD LOT COTTON BROKERAGE BUSINESS

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Edward E. Bartlett, Jr., president of the New York Cotton exchange and Louis Brooks, chairman of the Business Conduct committee of the same exchange, were among the first witnesses summoned to appear today at the opening of the public inquiry by Deputy Attorney General Wilbur W. Chambers into the activities of odd lot cotton exchanges and brokers.

Mr. Chambers said it was planned to call officials of the Odd Lot Exchange, the National Cotton and Grain exchange and the Federal Cotton exchange, the three odd lot exchanges operating in New York. While the New York Cotton exchange does not do business in odd lots, virtually all purchases and sales of actual cotton in New York are made through it, Mr. Chambers asserted.

"Victims of a number of odd lot cotton firms which failed during the past few months lost millions of dollars," said Mr. Chambers. "So many complaints have been received that a searching investigation must be made into the odd lot cotton brokerage business."

WILSON'S CONDITION IS NOT SERIOUS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—Woodrow Wilson has suffered a digestive disorder during the past few days, but it is yielding to treatment and his physicians do not regard his condition as serious.

His daily automobile rides have been dispensed with for the present as a result of the attack, but he is able to be out of bed mos of the time and to attend to his mail and other affairs as usual.

Dr. Cary T. Grayson the former president's physician said today that he regarded the progress made as satisfactory, in view of the general condition of the patient.

HELD BY ONLY TWO BRICKS

Fire, which destroyed a Lansing (Mich.) factory left, about great piece of wall hanging in the air. The supporting bit of wall was only two bricks across at the narrowest point.

TO CANONIZE LENINE AS BOLSHEVIK SAINT

MOSCOW, Jan. 31.—(By the Associated Press)—A movement to canonize the late Nikolai Lenine as a Bolshevik saint is gaining strength.

As a further tribute to the dead premier the newspaper Laboring Moscow, the organ of the communist party in this city, proposes changing the name of that organization to the Lenine Bolshevik party. At the same time the newspaper prints seven commandments which it suggests as a creed for the Leninites. The first is:

"Before leaving us, Comrade Lenine, you ordered us to hold high and keep clean the great calling of a member of this party. We swear to you, Comrade Lenine, that we will fulfill your commandment with honor."

The other articles of the creed, couched in the same language are as follows:

"To strengthen and maintain the party unity; to strengthen and maintain the dictatorship of the proletariate; to strengthen and maintain the union of workers and peace; to expand and fortify the union of soviet republics; to strengthen and improve the position of the red army; and to strengthen and expand the communist international."

INVESTIGATORS REPORT ON LOSS OF DIXMUDE

PARIS, Jan. 31.—The report of the commission which investigated the loss of the dirigible Dixmude finds that the principal cause contributing to the craft's destruction "was its employment during the winter season when few sheds or refuges were available and when any reliable weather forecast for her return was impossible."

The document concluded by observing that "in the presence of higher orders governing the program of training and flights of the Dixmude," the inquiry into responsibility for the accident is beyond the competence of the commission.

It was this conclusion which led Minister of Marine Ralberti to appoint another commission which is to determine whether higher officials shall be held responsible.

MANVILLE PAYS TRIBUTE TO EXPLOSION VICTIMS

PAWTUCKET, R. I., Jan. 31.—Mills and stores were closed and business generally suspended in Manville while funeral services were being held today in St. James' church for Mr. and Mrs. Adelard Hamel and their eleven children who lost their lives in the explosion of gas or dynamite on Monday. Only five bodies were taken from the church, the remaining eight will be entombed later today.

The Hamel family had resided in the village only a few weeks and were comparatively unknown, but over a thousand persons attended the funeral.

Attorney General Carpenter has ordered an investigation into the cause of the explosion. Town officials, the gas company and the Manville Jencks Company are also making investigations.

HAVERHILL WAR VETERAN ENDS LIFE

HAVERHILL, Mass., Jan. 31.—Harold W. Moran, aged 21, World war veteran, living at 63 Orchard street, committed suicide by inhaling fas at his home today. He was found dead in bed by his mother, when she got up to prepare breakfast. Moran was despondent because of trouble with his wife. He was denied a divorce on the grounds of cruel and abusive treatment in the probate court at Salem yesterday. His wife Eva, is living in Brooklyn, N. Y., with their daughter Barbara.

DEATHS

DALLAIRE—Mrs. Anna Irene Dallaire, a well-known member of the League of Catholic Women and a resident of St. Michael's parish, died yesterday at the Lowell Corporation hospital. She is survived by her husband, Peter V. Dallaire; two daughters, Manola and Gertrude; six sons, Victor, Clement, Raymond, Wilbert, Arthur and Albert; her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth O'Donnell, of New Brunswick; six brothers, Joseph and Raymond of New Brunswick, Wilfred of Detroit, Mich., Frank and Edward of Seattle, Wash. and Harry O'Donnell of Quincy; three sisters, Mrs. John Hayes, and the Misses Mary an dFrances O'Donnell of Charlestown, and an aunt, Mrs. Louis Cross of this city. She was a member of the Holy Rosary sodality and the Charity guild of St. Michael's parish. The body was taken to her home, 125 West Sixth street by Undertaker Peter Savage Son.

HOLDEN—Rebecca Alice Holden died on Jan. 30 at Bowdoinham, Me. She is survived by her husband, John Holden of Bowdoinham, and one daughter, Mrs. L. E. Seekins and two grandchildren of this city.

VALLERAND—Irene Vallerand, infant daughter of Euclide and of Alma (Simard) Vallerand died yesterday at the home of her parents, 19 Frye street, aged 14 days.

BOWMAN—Mrs. Catherine A. Bowman, widow of Wm. Bowman and for the past 37 years a resident of this city, died this morning at St. John's hospital. Deceased is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Blanch Davidson of Detroit, Mich.; one son, Frank R. Bowman of Hartford, Conn.; two sisters, Mrs. Harry Elliott of Hartford, Conn., Mrs. Anthony Johnson of Windsor Locks, Conn., and one brother, Thomas Farrell of East Boston. The body was taken to the funeral parlors of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

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FUNERALS

LEBEL—The funeral of Muriella Lebel, daughter of Thuribe and Cecile (Lebel) Lebel, took place yesterday afternoon from the home of her parents, 137 Pawtucket street. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery, under the direction of Funeral Director Joseph Albert.

GARDNER—Funeral services for Calvin Gardner were held at his home, 32 Robbins street, yesterday afternoon. Rev. William R. Tutbill, pastor of Eliot Union Congregational church, officiating. The bearers were John Mussen, John Perry, Robert S. Fulton and R. Kennedy. Burial was in the Edson cemetery, where Rev. Mr. Tutbill read the committal prayers. The arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Hiram C. Brown.

HUGHES—The funeral of Ella Hughes took place yesterday afternoon from the home of her parents, 15 Sidney street and was largely attended. The services were conducted by Rev. Alice Haire, pastor of the Lawrence Street Imitive Methodist church. There were many flowers. Burial took place in the Edson cemetery, where the committal service was read by Rev. Mrs. Haire. The arrangements were in charge of Undertaker William H. Saunders.

DINNERMAN Mrs. Dina (Suitzer) Dinnerman, wife of Barney Dinnerman, died yesterday at her home, 33 Ware street, aged 51 years. She is survived by her husband and several children. The funeral took place yesterday afternoon from the home. The customary services were held at the home and burial was in the family lot in the Israel Brotherhood cemetery, Pelham, N. H., under the direction of Undertakers Ameree Archambault & Sons.

SHEA—The funeral of Mrs. Cordelia Shea took place this morning at 8 o'clock from the home of her daughter, Mrs. Margaret Ruess, 83 Lane street, and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends. The funeral high mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Thomas McDonough. The choir under the direction of Michael J. Johnson, who also presided at the organ, sang the Gregorian chant, the solos being sustained by Miss Frances Tighe and Daniel S. O'Brien. At the conclusion of the mass Rev. Fr. McDonough read the committal prayers for the dead. Mrs. Anna Holland, president of the James Garfield Relief Corps, also members of the Daughters of Pocahontas conducted services of their order at the home of deceased. There was a profusion of beautiful floral and many spiritual offerings. The bearers were: Messrs. James H. Shay, Daniel F. Shay, Thomas O'Hara, Frank O'Hara, J. Christian Ruess and Nick Halpin. Burial took place in the Wild Wood cemetery, Winchester, Mass. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons.

FUNERAL NOTICES

DALLAIRE—The funeral of Mrs. Anna Irene Dallaire will take place Friday morning from her late home, 126 West Sixth street, at 8 o'clock, High mass of requiem at St. Michael's church at 9 o'clock. Interment will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertaker Peter H. Savage in charge of funeral arrangements.

FOYE—Died January 29, at St. John's hospital, Mrs. Marcella M. (Roberts) Foye, beloved wife of Edward J. Foye. The funeral will take place Friday morning at 8 o'clock from the home of her mother, Mrs. John J. Poole, 1030 Central st. At 9 o'clock a mass of requiem will be celebrated at St. Peter's church. Burial will be in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. The funeral will be under the direction of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

TAYLOR—The funeral of Charles B. Taylor will take place Friday morning at 8.30 o'clock from his home, 27 Lagrange street. A funeral high mass will be celebrated at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. Burial will be in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. Funeral arrangements will be in charge of Charles H. Molloy's Sons.

COSTELLO—The funeral of Mrs. Catherine Costello will take place Friday morning at 8 o'clock from the funeral parlors of Charles H. Molloy's Sons. A funeral high mass will be celebrated at the Immaculate Conception church at 9 o'clock. Burial will be in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. Funeral arrangements will be in charge of Charles H. Molloy's Sons.

BOWMAN—Died January 31 at St. John's hospital, Mrs. Catherine A. Bowman, widow of William E. Bowman. The funeral will take place Saturday morning at 8 o'clock from the funeral parlors of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons. At 9 o'clock a mass of requiem will be celebrated at the Immaculate Conception church. Burial will be in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. The funeral will be under the direction of Undertakers James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

CARD OF THANKS

I, the undersigned, wish to express my sincere thanks and heartfelt appreciation to those who by their acts of kindness, expressions of sympathy, beautiful floral offerings and spiritual bouquets, helped to lighten the sorrow in the recent bereavement of my most beloved husband, Patrick H. Fallon. Signed

MRS. MARY FALLON, 9 Irving St.

CARD OF THANKS

The family of the late Mabel V. Wright wishes to thank the many friends who were so kind during her sickness and at the time of her death; especially her friends in the knitting department of Shaw Hosiery and all others who helped to lighten our burden in any way.

WRIGHT FAMILY.

CARD OF THANKS

The undersigned wishes to express her gratitude to all neighbors and friends for the many kindnesses extended during the illness and at the time of the death of her sister, Miss Julia Caffery. All those who sent floral and spiritual tributes, as well as those who extended words of sympathy and in other ways helped to lighten the burden of sorrow shall ever be remembered by me.

SARAH CAFFERY.

MASS NOTICE

LAMBERT—There will be an anniversary high mass at St. Louis' church Friday morning at 7 o'clock for the repose of the soul of Benjamin Lambert, who died Feb. 1, 1922. Requested by his brother and sisters.

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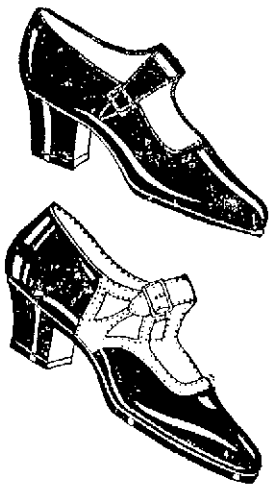

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WOMEN'S PATENT LEATHER PUMPS, flat heel, sandal style
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A SPECIAL LOT OF WOMEN'S HIGH SHOES, in black and brown leathers, all style toes and all heel heights

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WOMEN'S PATENT ONE-STRAP PUMPS, military and low heels, medium and narrow toes
CHILDREN'S SCHOOL SHOES, in tan, calf, Tony red, Havana brown and black kid and calf leathers, all sizes in the lot
ALSO A LOT OF YOUTHS' AND BOYS' SHOES, in tan and black leathers

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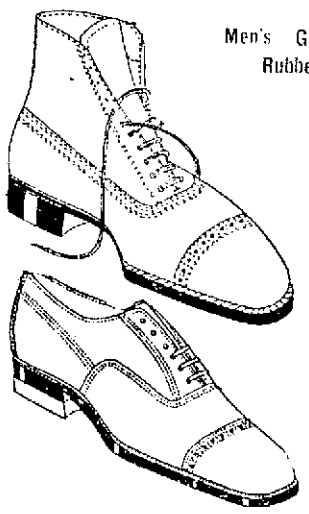

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WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

A surprise party was tendered Mr. and Mrs. Philip McLaughlin of 16 Keene street last night at the home of their daughter, Mrs. May Henry, 228 High street, on the occasion of their 40th wedding anniversary. About 12 members of the family were united for the occasion. Following a pleasant supper served by the hostess, Mr. and Mrs. McLaughlin were presented $10 in gold. They were also recipients of numerous cards and flowers during the day from their many friends. Mr. McLaughlin has been in the employ of the fire department for many years and is now switchboard man on the day shift at the Central fire station.

HONOR LEGION COMMANDER

HOLYOKE, Mass., Jan. 31.—John R. Quinn, national commander of the American Legion, arrived here today from Boston to be the guest of the Legion post, other Veteran organizations and civic bodies. After luncheon he went to Northampton and inspected the partly completed completed hospital for disabled veterans being built by the federal government.

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Guest of Honor

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"Babe" Ruth Guest and Speaker at One of Greatest Events in History of Alumni Association—Fine Program of Speakers and Entertainment

School days—golden, sacred and hallowed memories of a by-gone period when they were "a bunch of kids," figurative of what used to be, yet typical of what is today and prophetic of what can be tomorrow and always—were vividly and realistically exemplified at the 16th annual reunion and banquet of St. Patrick's School Alumni association last night.

Staid old grads, veterans of ancient campaigns with the curriculum of the famous Xaverian institution in Suffolk street mingled with the products of a younger generation of loyal and true alumni during the progress of the most successful reunion yet sponsored by the sons of St. Patrick. Young and old, to the number of 300, were there. Familiar faces, now prominent in the ecclesiastical, business, political and social life of the city, reserved this one night of the year to exchange handshakes, to reminisce on the good old days and to participate in a general and genuine renewal of acquaintances "for the sake of auld lang syne."

There was nobody late for school last night, and if there were any truants they may rest assured that they missed one of the greatest lessons of their lives. An excellent array of speakers, including the special guest of honor, George Herman "Babe" Ruth, the "king of swat" and the idol of America's baseball fandom; Rev. John J. McGarry, D.C.L. LL.D., pastor of St. Patrick's church; Rev. Augustine F. Hickey, S.T.L., diocesan supervisor of schools; Rev. Bro. Peter, C.F.X., a Lowell boy and now prefect of studies at St. John's Prep. in Danvers; Rev. Bro. Clarence, C.F.X., present superior of St. Patrick's; Jeremiah J. O'Sullivan; John J. Monahan, one of the four survivors of the first graduating class and Umpire Eugene "Bob" Hart—every one of them conveying worth-while messages of continued devotion, service and loyalty to alma mater.

There was plenty of entertainment too. The Honey Boy quartet, composed of Ed. "Tip" Handley, James Lyons, Joe Coutu and Jack Gleason opened the musical festivities with the appropriate selection: "That Old Gang of Mine." Then there were solo contributions by Fred Cummings, James

EUGENE A. FITZGERALD
Toastmaster

Deignan, Thomas Delmore and Eddie Donohue, besides a pleasing group of numbers by the alumni orchestra consisting of William Paul McCarthy, Frank J. Deignan, James H. Buckley, Edward Looney, William Looney, Joseph Ginty, Thomas Hannafin, Timothy McCarthy and John J. Giblin.

General Reception

The reunion program called for a general reception from 6 to 7 o'clock. Assembling in the old school rooms in the upper portion of the building, the alumni talked and exchanged reminiscences until the banquet was announced. Marching in double formation to the banquet hall the members took their allotted places at the elaborately decorated tables. The hall itself was bright in its resplendency. Red, white and blue bunting hung from the po[illegible] and around the windows, while the stage area was attractively bedecked in American flags and streamers of purple and white. An artistic poster with the inscription, "Welcome, 1882-1924" was conspicuously hung over the center of the stage, rounding out an especially pleasing picture. At the guests' table on the stage were seated Rev. Thomas J. McDonough, Rev. William Dacey, Rev. Augustine Hickey, S.T.L., John J. Monahan, Eugene A. Fitzgerald, Rev. J. J. McGarry, D.C.L., "Babe" Ruth, Rev. James A. Supple, D.D., Rev. Bro. Peter, C.F.X., Rev. Joseph A. Curtin, Rev. Charles Berry, O.M.I., Jeremiah J. O'Sullivan and "Bob" Hart.

When the "bambino" entered the hall attired in a natty dark suit of evening design with an artfully prepared bow tie, his six feet of American athletic manhood towering above the gathering, the orchestra struck up the tune "Take Me Out to the Ball Game" and followed it up with "Hail, Hail, The Gang's All Here."

The "eats" were then distributed and the general merriment continued without "recess" until 11 o'clock. At the appointed time John J. Monahan, '86, chairman of the banquet committee and one of the school's first graduates, arose and extended a note of welcome. He spoke retrospectively of the school's opening away back in 1882 when the student body numbered about 400 and when the brothers lived in the same quarters in which they taught. "The school then and the school today are entirely different institutions," he said. "When I attended St. Patrick's we had four intensive years of study with a course better than that of the average high school. We had four solid years of English, mathematics, history, in short, we had a real school."

"My class started with 50 boys, but only six finished the course and were graduated. They were Thomas P. Keyes, Joseph B. Coughlin, John F. Saunders, Thomas B. Sullivan, who have passed away, Dr. John H. O'Connor of Hyde Park and myself."

Councilor Fitzgerald Toastmaster

Councilor Eugene A. Fitzgerald of the class of 1911, as toastmaster of the occasion, took charge of the meeting following Mr. Monahan's enlightening talk. After extending his heartfelt thanks to the committee for the enjoyable time provided he touched upon the traditions of the school and its contributions to church and society. "It is a wonderful thing to think," he added, "that this school has given about 25 young men to God's altar. What nobler or grander success can any school hope for?"

The toastmaster, in choice terms, proceeded to introduce Rev. Bro. Clarence, C.F.X., the popular superior of the present-day St. Patrick's, who spoke, in part, as follows: "I am here to give verbal expression to what you must already know; that you are welcome, very welcome back to St. Patrick's. We are proud and honored to have our reverend pastor here to preside at our reunion; his able assistants as well as some of the clergy who are members of our alumni, our reverend supervisor of schools who never fails to be on hand to deliver a message which is always inspiring; the religious who claim St. Patrick's as their alma mater; our honored guests among whom we are fortunate in having a national figure, the most famous athlete in the world of sport, the king of our national pastime, the idol of every red-blooded man and boy in this great land of ours. He is here tonight because he is one of ours, just as you are, and we are naturally proud of him, and he is glad to be here, because he, like you, is the product of a Xaverian brothers' school."

Pastor of St. Patrick's

The next speaker was Rev. Dr. McGarry, who expressed his gratification at the numbers present to show their loyalty to the old school that gave them, he said, their first start in education, and although not the palatial place he would like to have it, it would not mean the same to the alumni if its floors were marbled and its walls gilded. Dr. McGarry attributed the progress of the school to the unselfish work of the Christian brothers and appealed to the gathering to keep on loving it and to be interested in all its undertakings. "The boys now attending the school expect the association to be interested in it. You should give the boys a good time at least once a year. I'd pay for it myself if I thought I could fool them into thinking you did. They appreciate something like this, and my recommendation, therefore, is of a practical nature that you do something for the boys and derive for yourselves a measure of consolation."

Big Reception to "Babe" Ruth

To the accompaniment of vociferous applause, "Babe" Ruth was next introduced. From all appearances, the home-run artist is a champion social lion as well as a diamond celebrity. In characteristic vein, he said he had been present at 17 functions during the past week and was pretty well tired out. He spoke of his associations with Bros. Clarence, Herman, Peter and Aquinas at St. Mary's Industrial school in Baltimore, which he attended 22 years ago and where he learned the fundamentals of the national pastime of Bro. Herman, now stationed at St. Patrick's here. "I regret to say," said the Babe, "that I have succeeded in becoming a better player than Bro. Herman." I remember distinctly when Bro. Herman and I banged balls around the lot at St. Mary's. By the way, I never understood whey they called that an industrial school. But anyway, 16 or 17 years ago, we played together. He showed me a lot of stuff, not only in baseball, but in football, too. O, yes, we used to play the rugby game. On a rocky field, too. I recall being knocked 'cold' in a scrimmage once."

Ruth then recounted several experiences at St. Mary's. He went there 22 years ago next month, he said. Though it was hard at first, but he learned its value in later years. "I had my own ideas when I was a kid," he added. "I never smoked a cigaret until I was 15 years old. I went direct from school to baseball, joining the Baltimore club with Ben Egan and Ernie Shore. Our first jump was to North Carolina and I was at a loss to know how we would sleep on the train. I had never heard of a sleeping car."

The Babe, in concluding, gave some good advice, asking the men to encourage baseball among the younger talent and to give them an example of clean living. He was accorded a wonderful demonstration as he left the hall to keep another engagement with the Knights of Columbus. Outside the building his progress to his waiting automobile was barricaded with groups of kids anxious to get just one look at the man they had read so much about. As his machine sped away, youthful throats shouted an envious "Good-bye, Babe," and he was gone.

Diocesan School Supervisor

Rev. Fr. Hickey, always a welcome addition to St. Patrick's programs, was the first speaker after Ruth's departure. Apropos the latter, he said Babe Ruth was known from one end of the country to the other as a man 'for reaching home.' "More than a great athlete, he is evidently a real man and worthy of emulation," Fr. Hickey added. He proceeded with a scholarly discourse on the value of

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APPROVES CUT IN INCOME TAX

Sec. Mellon Favors Plan to Make Reductions Effective on 1923 Payments

Believes Step Would Entail No Difficulties on the Treasury

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—Secretary Mellon regards as practical and feasible the plan of republican members of the house ways and means committee to make the proposed income tax reductions effective on the 1923 payments which taxpayers will remit to the government beginning March 15. He believes the step would entail no difficulties on the treasury.

Further revision of the income tax rates was taken today by the republican members of the house ways and means committee after their break with the democrats during yesterday's consideration of the new revenue bill.

A reduction in the 1923 taxes, which are payable this year, was voted yesterday by the majority members and they decided to work out an income rate schedule of their own, according to Chairman Green, because of the refusal of the democrats to accept their offer to compromise and draft a non-partisan plan. The amount of the reduction may be as high as 25 per cent. Representative Garner, Texas, ranking democrat of the committee insisted, however, that the republicans had offered no concert compromise and therefore none had been refused.

Imperial Diet is Dissolved

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taken their seats upon the resumption of the diet session.

Interpellating the government in connection with the train wreck, in which three prominent opposition leaders escaped injury, although the locomotive of their train was damaged, the foes of Premier Kiyoura and his newly installed cabinet demanded that the premier reply personally.

Kiyoura, however, refused to rise.

Great disorder immediately ensued, amid which Kenjiro Komatsu, minister of communications and a member of the house of peers, attempted to reply to the interpellations. In the confusion, an agitator, not a member of the diet, rushed to the platform and thrust Komatsu aside. A riot followed. The legislators used water containers as missiles and several engaged in flat combats.

Hostilities continued until the speaker of the house hastily declared a temporary adjournment, which was followed by dissolution of the diet.

Six rallies were held in Tokio by the opposition today. The police, strengthened by the addition of an extra force, were maintaining a close watch over proceedings.

Viscount Takahashi, K. Inukui, leader of the former nationalist party, and Y. Osaki, former minister of justice, were the leaders on the train. They were en route from an opposition party rally at Osaka to Tokio for resumption of the sessions of the diet. They escaped uninjured, although the locomotive of their train was damaged by logs and stones piled on the tracks.

Rebel Losses Total 1880

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and three pieces of artillery. Eighty officers were among the prisoners.

In capturing Esperanza, the federals took an important rebel code which resulted in the interception of wireless messages between the rebel generals de la Huerta and Estranda and rebel agents in the United States. The nature of the messages was not made public.

The federals also took the pay car of General Maycotte's troops, which contained nearly 200,000 pesos.

Federal losses, according to official reports, total only 22 dead, including eleven officers and 262 wounded. Efficient use of artillery was responsible for the comparatively small number of casualties, General Martinez's report said.

General Martinez, accompanied by Secretary of War Serrano, arrived here last night and left immediately for Celaya, military headquarters of President Obregon, for a conference with cabinet members the chief executive has set for today.

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$25.00 OVERCOATS	$18.00
$30.00 OVERCOATS	$21.00
$35.00 OVERCOATS	$23.00
$40.00 OVERCOATS	$28.00
$45.00 OVERCOATS	$32.00
$50.00 OVERCOATS	$38.00

SUITS

$25.00 SUITS	$18.50
$30.00 SUITS	$21.50
$35.00 SUITS	$24.00
$40.00 SUITS	$28.00
$45.00 SUITS	$33.50
$50.00 SUITS	$38.50

MACKINAWS

$13.50 Mackinaws	$9.50
$16.50 Mackinaws	$11.50
$20.00 Mackinaws	$14.50

TUXEDO SUITS

ODD TROUSERS

$4.00 Pants	$3.00
$5.00 Pants	$3.75
$5.50 Pants	$4.00
$6.00 Pants	$4.50
$6.50 Pants	$4.75
$7.00 Pants	$5.25
$8.00 Pants	$6.25

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$5.50 Beach Jackets	$4.25
$7.50 Beach Jackets	$5.75
$3.00 Beach Vests	$2.25

WOOL VESTS

$5.50 Wool Vests	$4.00
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$15.00 Coats	$10.75
$18.00 Coats	$12.50
$22.50 Coats	$16.50

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SHIRTS

$1.65 Shirts	$1.15
$2.00 Shirts	$1.38
$2.65 Shirts	$1.65
$3.00 Shirts	$2.13
$3.50 Shirts	$2.37
$4.00 Shirts	$2.75
$5.00 Shirts	$3.50
$6.00 Shirts	$4.50
$7.50 Shirts	$5.25
$8.50 Shirts	$6.00
$9.00 Shirts	$6.50

UNION SUITS

$1.50 Union Suits	$1.13
$2.00 Union Suits	$1.38
$2.75 Union Suits	$2.00
$3.00 Union Suits	$2.25
$3.50 Union Suits	$2.50
$4.00 Union Suits	$3.00
$5.00 Union Suits	$3.75
$6.00 Union Suits	$4.50
$7.00 Union Suits	$5.00
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75c Neckwear	50c
$1.00 Neckwear	69c
$1.50 Neckwear	$1.00
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$2.50 Neckwear	$1.65
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$6.00 Hats	$4.75
$7.00 Hats	$5.00
$8.00 Hats	$5.75
$9.00 Hats	$6.50
$10.00 Hats	$7.50
$12.00 Hats	$9.00

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$1.65 Hose	$1.25
$1.85 Hose	$1.45
$2.00 Hose	$1.50
$2.25 Hose	$1.65
$2.50 Hose	$1.75
$3.00 Hose	$2.25

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$2.00 Flannel Shirts	$1.50
$2.50 Flannel Shirts	$1.75
$3.00 Flannel Shirts	$2.25
$3.50 Flannel Shirts	$2.50
$4.00 Flannel Shirts	$3.00
$4.50 Flannel Shirts	$3.50
$5.00 Flannel Shirts	$3.75
$5.50 Flannel Shirts	$4.00

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$7.50 Sweaters	$5.50
$8.00 Sweaters	$5.75
$9.00 Sweaters	$6.50
$10.00 Sweaters	$7.50
$12.00 Sweaters	$9.00
$13.50 Sweaters	$9.75

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$1.50 Pajamas, Night Shirts,	$1.13
$2.00 Pajamas, Night Shirts,	$1.50
$2.50 Pajamas, Night Shirts,	$1.75
$3.00 Pajamas, Night Shirts,	$2.25
$3.50 Pajamas, Night Shirts,	$2.50
$4.00 Pajamas, Night Shirts,	$3.00
$5.00 Pajamas, Night Shirts,	$3.75
$7.50 Pajamas, Night Shirts,	$5.25

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$1.50 Caps	$1.13
$1.65 Caps	$1.25
$2.00 Caps	$1.38
$2.50 Caps	$1.75
$5.00 Fur Caps	$3.50
$6.00 Fur Caps	$4.50
$7.00 Fur Caps	$5.00
$8.00 Fur Caps	$5.50
$9.00 Fur Caps	$6.50
$10.00 Fur Caps	$9.00

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$8.50 Coats	$5.95
$10.00 Coats	$7.00
$12.00 Coats	$8.40
$15.00 Coats	$10.50
$18.00 Coats	$12.60

BOYS' OVERCOATS
10 to 18 Years

$15.00 Coats	$10.50
$18.00 Coats	$12.60
$20.00 Coats	$14.00
$25.00 Coats	$17.50

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$4.98 Suits	$3.47
$6.50 Suits	$4.55
$8.50 Suits	$5.95
$9.00 Suits	$6.30
$10.00 Suits	$7.00

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$10.00 Suits	$7.00
$12.00 Suits	$8.40
$15.00 Suits	$10.50
$18.00 Suits	$12.60
$20.00 Suits	$14.00
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$1.48 Hats	$1.04
$2.00 Hats	$1.40
$3.50 Hats	$2.45
$4.00 Hats	$2.80
$4.25 Hats	$2.98
$5.00 Hats	$3.50

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69c Gloves and Mittens,	48c
98c Gloves and Mittens,	69c
$1.15 Gloves and Mittens,	80c
$1.25 Gloves and Mittens,	87c
$1.50 Gloves and Mittens	$1.05
$2.00 Gloves and Mittens	$1.40

FLANNEL SHIRTS

$2.25 Shirts	$1.57
$2.50 Shirts	$1.75
$3.00 Shirts	$2.10
$5.00 Shirts	$3.50

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$1.59 Pajamas	$1.11
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$2.98 Bathrobes	$2.09
$3.50 Bathrobes	$2.45
$3.98 Bathrobes	$2.79
$4.50 Bathrobes	$3.15

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98c Union Suits	69c
$1.39 Union Suits	98c
$2.00 Union Suits	$1.40
$2.50 Union Suits	$1.75
$3.00 Union Suits	$2.10
$3.35 Union Suits	$2.35

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$2.00 Dresses	$1.00
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BOWLERS OF THE SONS OF ST. GEORGE

John Orrell acted as toastmaster at the dinner of bowlers of the Sons of St. George, held last night at Cole's Inn. Arthur Bennett league secretary, read off the prize awards and the prizes were presented by Albert Fielding. The banquet was arranged through the efforts of Chairman John Holgate and Secretary Arthur Bennett. A vote of thanks was given Herbert Marsh, official tabulator of the league, for his painstaking work. The individual prizes were given to Charles Brock, Fred King, Elmer Stevenson, Arthur Bennett, Joseph Pearson, Mr. Taylor, Allan Pickles, John Holgate, Albert Fielding, Sam Burtt and George Camp. The members of the winning team were John Holgate, captain; George Gale, William Dawson Jr., Alfred Hartley and Albert Fielding.

TEAPOT BADGES FOR CAMPAIGN

OREGON CITY, Ore., Jan. 31.—Ten thousand miniature aluminum teapots have been ordered as badges for Clackamas county democrats in the forthcoming campaign, W. W. Woodbeck, chairman of the democratic county central committee, announced today.

FOUND NOT GUILTY

A superior court jury in Cambridge yesterday returned a verdict of not guilty in the case of Charles F. Hilton of this city, held on a statutory charge.

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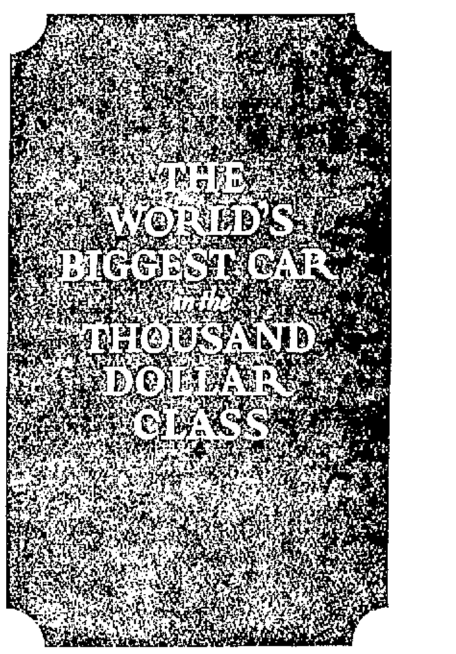

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RADIO BROADCASTS

WNAC, BOSTON

4 p. m.—Orchestra.

4.15 p. m.—Concert program: Ella B. Thompson, Nettie M. Roberts, Miss Harriet Mansur.

4.45 p. m.—Third talk of series, Service to the Shopper, by E. L. Greene.

5 p. m.—The day in finance.

6.30-7.30 p. m.—WNAC Dinner Dance, Shepard Colonial Orchestra.

8 p. m.—Concert program, the Royal Quartet; Miss Lucile Brown, soprano; Miss Doris Irene Little, contralto, D. Ernest Belcher, tenor; Arthur L. Morse, bass; Miss Nina Spalding, violinist; Miss Grace Stone, accompanist; Miss Velma Harden, accompanist.

9 p. m. Nautical descriptive overture, "Through the Panama Canal," State Theatre orchestra.

WGI, MEDFORD

5.30 p. m.—Closing Market reports.

6.15 p. m.—Boston Police reports.

6.30 p. m.—Meeting of the Big Brother club.

7 p. m.—Evening program: Stories for Parents: A Modern Mary Antin, read by Alfred Wallman; the American Mutual Entertainers present Kicko, a merry musical comedy in two acts, under the personal direction of Ed. J. Wall and Fred MacGregor.

KDKA, PITTSBURGH

6.15 p. m.—Dinner concert by the Fort Pitt hotel orchestra.

7.30 p. m.—Weekly Chat With the Farmers, by Frank E. Mullen.

7.45 p. m.—The children's period.

8 p. m.—Farm market reports.

8.15 p. m.—Farm feature.

8.30 p. m.—Concert by the KDKA Little Symphony orchestra, assisted by Mrs. Alton Barrick Davis, contralto and reader; P. V. Petraitis, baritone; Chas. Muldowney, piano, and accompanist.

9.55 p. m.—Arlington time signals. Weather forecast.

11.30 p. m.—Late evening concert.

WBZ, SPRINGFIELD

7 p. m.—Preparation of Federal Income Tax Returns, by Thomas McCarry.

7.30 p. m.—Bedtime story for the kiddies. Farmers' period.

8.15 p. m.—Organ recital by Arthur H. Turner, municipal organist, transmitted from the Springfield Auditorium.

9.55 p. m.—Arlington time signals.

WRC, WASHINGTON

3.30 p. m.—Piano recital by Edith Grey.

4 p. m.—Financial news.

5.15 p. m.—Instruction in code practice.

6 p. m.—Children's hour, by Peggy Albion.

WJZ, NEW YORK

5 p. m.—Ave La Skere, double-voice entertainer.

5.30 p. m.—Closing market reports.

7 p. m.—Children's period.

7.30 p. m.—Lecture.

8 p. m.—The World's Work.

8.15 p. m.—Organ recital by Dr. Alexander Russell.

9 p. m.—Anne Lewis Pierce.

9.15 p. m.—Joint recital by Erna Korn, contralto, and Hedy Spielter, pianist.

10.15 p. m.—Jimmy Moore's popular program.

10.30 p. m.—Dance program by the Hotel Commodore orchestra.

WJY, NEW YORK

740 Kc. 405 Meters

7.30 p. m.—Freda Williams, soprano, accompanied by Creighton Allen.

8.15 p. m.—Wilbur C. Whitehead, Auction Bridge.

8.30 p. m.—Concert by Almanac Hotel orchestra.

WHAS, LOUISVILLE

750 Kc. 400 Meters

5 p. m.—Selections by the Walnut theatre orchestra; police bulletins; weather forecast; Just Among Home Folks; selections by the Strand theatre orchestra; late important news bulletins and market reports.

6 p. m.—Time announced.

8.30-10 p. m. One-hour concert, four-minute digest of Sunday school lesson by Rev. Dr. Ira R. Ladd; four-minute radio forum talk. Time announced at 10 o'clock.

WEAF, NEW YORK

4 p. m. Musical program to be announced.

4.15 p. m.—Charlotte Nadler, violinist, accompanied by Lucille Nadler.

4.30 p. m.—Musical program to be announced.

4.45 p. m.—Lena C. Sandy, soprano, accompanied by Winifred T. Barr.

5 p. m.—Charlotte Nadler, violinist.

5.15 p. m.—Lena C. Sandy, soprano.

7 p. m. Mid-week service under the auspices of the New York Federation of Churches.

7.30 p. m. Sport talk by Thornton Fisher.

7.40 p. m. Minnie Weil, pianist.

7.50 p. m. R. Huntington Woodman, composer-pianist with Mrs. R. Huntington Woodman, soprano; Dicie Howell, contralto, and Arthur Billings Hunt, baritone.

8.20 p. m. Agricultural Problems, by Dudley F. Fowler.

8.30 p. m.—Minnie Weil, pianist.

8.40 p. m. A Short Talk on Olive oil, by R. U. Delaphena.

8.50 p. m.—Minnie Weil, pianist.

9 p. m. Planning a Successful St. Valentine's Day Party, by Anne Blauvelt.

9.10 p. m.—Recital by R. Huntington Woodman, composer-pianist, with assisting artist.

9.30 p. m.—Musical program to be announced.

9.45 p. m. Program following dinner of the Young Men's Hebrew association given in honor of the Hon. M. Maldwin Fertig, president of the Young Men's Hebrew Association of the Bronx and in honor of the acquisition of the association's new home at 172d st. and Fulton avenue, New York city.

11-12—Vincent Lopez and his orchestra.

WCAP, WASHINGTON

8.15 p. m.—Concert by the United States Navy Band orchestra.

10-12 p. m. Dance music by the Meyer Davis' Le Paradis band, played at the Cafe Le Paradis, Washington.

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The outstanding need of radio today, both for the enjoyment of the art and to promote its further development as a sound industry, is more efficient amplification.

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The general public is realizing more every day that amplification is the most important single factor in radio. It is so fundamental that without amplification, radio today would be impossible. Changing electric waves to sound waves woundn't mean much if they couldn't be heard plainly. Amplification builds them up so that they are clear and easy to hear. Amplification is used at the transmitting station as well as the receiving instrument. Faint whispers thousands of miles away become clear, living voices in the homes of millions.

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"In a very real and vital sense," to quote Mr. Cairns, "the key to radio is amplification, and the public is increasingly realizing this. Even more important, they are demanding amplification which gives not only volume but quality of sound—amplification without distortion."

STRATFORD DANCE

The Stratfords will hold their weekly dancing party at the Highland club on Friday evening. These dansants are regular weekly affairs and form part of the weekly schedule of the dancing folks of the city. These socials will continue until the Lenten season commences. The music is furnished by Wrick's Harvard orchestra of Cambridge, a team composed of students from the great university. They are playing the latest musical comedy hits and their dancing time is all that could be desired. They will furnish music for all Stratford parties during the remainder of the season.

GOES FROM B. & M. TO N. Y., N. H. & H.

Robert H. Newcomb, executives' assistant of the Boston & Maine railroad and a frequent visitor to Lowell during the past year for purposes of consultation with local industrial leaders, retired from the B. & M. executives' staff today to join the forces of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad in the department of public relations.

Mr. Newcomb has at different times been the guest of both Lowell Chamber of Commerce and Rotary club, seeking to enlist business men in the cause of proper packing of freight shipments and giving them facts on money-saving methods of transporting freight of all kinds via railroad channels.

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AMUSEMENT NOTES

LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

A sparkling and vivacious bit of comedy is "The Demi-Virgin," this week's attraction at the Lowell Opera House. The play is teeming with funny and near-naughty situations that are both perplexing and humorous. William Courneen, the new leading man, is making a fine reputation for himself in Lowell as the result of his clever handling of his role in this play. Miss Lillian Desmonde, newly added leading lady of the company, is even more of a sweetheart than she was last week in Little Old New York.

The stock players are giving a grand performance of Avery Hopwood's farce and the cast is heavily augmented in order to produce this show. Malcolm MacLeod, Dick Morgan, Edna Andrews, John Rowe, Fern Chandler and Marguerite Slavin are all shown to great advantage. The play is one that makes merriment reign supreme from the very opening and will sweep all before it in a gale of laughter.

It is the sort of a play that will banish the blues and is full of bright dialogue and original farcical situations. After viewing the play one can readily see why it did 52 weeks of capacity business under the auspices of A. H. Woods when first presented in New York. The show takes rank as the foremost funmaker of the season, far superior to Six Cylinder Love which was received here as a real smart one. For humor, for sparkle, for interest, for snap and pep aplenty, this shows runs on all twelve every minute and makes you like it. The seat sale has been heavy but a few choice seats are still available and reservations may be made by phoning 261.

RIALTO

"Times Have Changed," the William Fox production which opens at the Rialto today presents William Russell in an entirely new type of role. "Times Have Changed" is an ostensibly serious drama, tempered and refined by much irresistible humor. Satire plays an important part in the development of its multifarious situations. In brief, the story concerns the unfortunate circumstances of an aunt coming to live with a newlywed couple. The events that lead to their ultimate rebellion against her sovereignty offer highly sensitized amusement. Mabel Julienne Scott, notable among the screen's leading beauties, plays opposite Russell.

A screen version of the famous operetta, "The Bohemian Girl," is the added feature and is said to be an unusually excellent picture. It is a vivid and colorful story of gypsy life which will prove entertaining to all.

"HUMAN WRECKAGE"

"Human Wreckage," a smashing denunciation of the dope evil, should do more than all the tons of printed matter, speeches, editorials, and committees that have been brought forth since the narcotic evil first became a live issue. "Human Wreckage" is not a story of Wallace Reid's own life, though it is his spirit which actuated the production of this, the greatest moral play ever conceived.

"Human Wreckage" is cross section of throbbing human experience. Here is a drama built out of the very fabric of life, stripped of reserve, born of the nobility of a woman's soul, and dedicated to the cause of saving other lives from the unspeakable curse of narcotics. Played by a perfect cast, including Mrs. Wallace Reid, James Kirkwood, Bessie Love and a host of others, "Human Wreckage" is not only the most crashing blow ever delivered against the narcotic evil not only the most gigantic theatrical attraction ever produced—it is real—it lives! You must see it! Next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday at the Rialto. The prices will remain unchanged.

THE STRAND

That modern mothers and fathers are failing in their responsibilities to parenthood is the lesson which is being forcibly driven home at The Strand this week in the First National picturization of Warner Fabian's "Flaming Youth." It's a photodrama of this age of jazz and pocket flasks and scorn of the conventions, and Colleen Moore as Patricia Fentriss is seen as the pampered little flapper who is indulged in all her dangerous whims. She flits from one frivolous love affair to another, but of course the crash comes, and there is a genuinely stirring romance in which the heroine is jolted into her senses. The sympathy of the audience, however, is always with the innocent little flapper because the fault is more her parents' than her own.

Douglas MacLean and Edith Roberts in "The Sunshine Trail," is the second feature. Don't miss one of the greatest bills of the year.

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

"Doubt," the satirical comedy which Paul Decker & Co. are presenting at the B. F. Keith theatre this week, has many finely written lines and situations which are exceptionally clever. It will cause the one who witnesses it to do some tall thinking, yet it is all comedy. Another specially good turn is that of Walter and Emily Walters, the ventriloquists, in "The Baby's Cry." This is without exception the best piece of sub-talking ever seen on a local stage. It is all woven into a little play of compelling interest. The singing of Wade Booth, baritone, is breezy and very well done. The choice of selections is uncommonly good. Comedy and music are offered by George M. Fisher and Fanny Hurst and Jean LaCrosse, the favorite soprano of California, and the Hostons, jugglers, complete the good bill. The picture is "The Broad Road," a Wester subject which is finely done.

MERRIMACK SQUARE

The "grandeur that was Rome" lives again at the Merrimack Square theatre where Buster Keaton's first full length feature comedy, "Three Ages," is being shown. All the wealth and power of the Roman empire of Caesar, Marc Antony and Cleopatra parade before the eye in regal splendor, and Buster struts as majestically among such surroundings as he once did in his two-reel slip-stick comedies.

Keaton skips brilliantly from scenes in the cave man age to the Roman era and down to our own times. "Three Ages" is full of bursting comedy brilliantly acted throughout by Keaton, who is supported by Margaret Leahy and Wallace Beery among others of an able cast.

"Three Ages," is a Joseph M. Schenck presentation through Metro. It was directed by Buster Keaton and Eddie Cline from the story by Jean Havez, Joe Mitchell and Clyde Bruckman.

Hoot Gibson in "Double Dealing," and a comedy, "On Easy Street," are other features.

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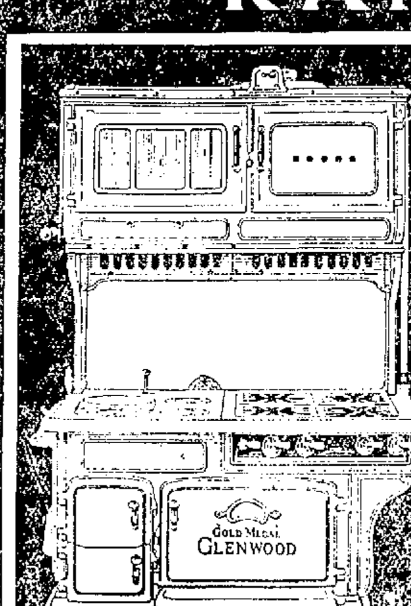

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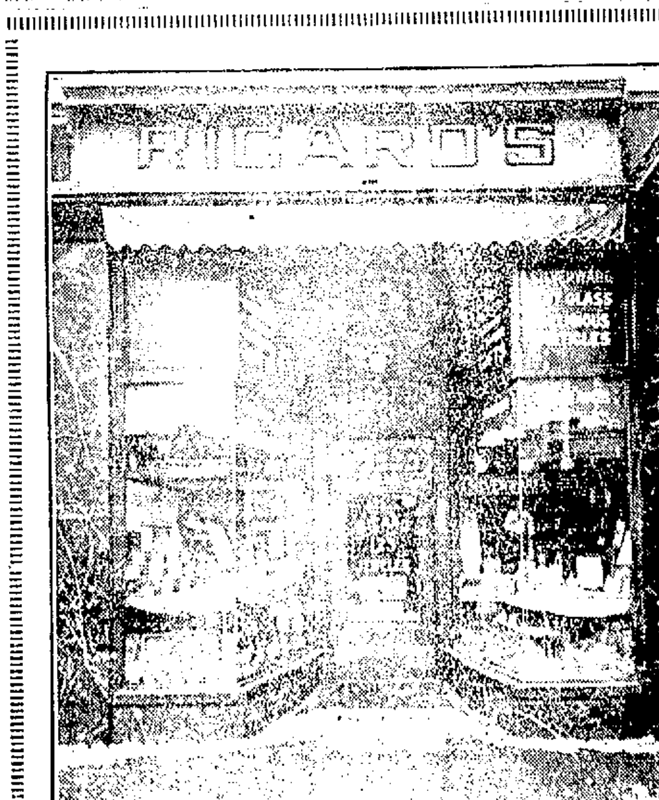

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By N.E.A. Service

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"I've trekked 20,000 miles through Africa," she remarked. "But I've never met a type I understand so imperfectly as this 'modern woman' that has grown

MRS. HELEN E. SPRINGER

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For 23 years Mrs. Springer and her husband traveled as missionaries through the Belgian Congo and Rhodesia. They established churches, schools and medical stations and taught simple crafts to natives. Yet in all her experience she repeats—

"I've never known a native girl to drape her three yards of calico or burlap so suggestively about her body as the flapper of today does her chiffons and silks. And I find any of the six or seven Bantu dialects more intelligible to me than the patter that goes on at tea tables and over the counters in New York."

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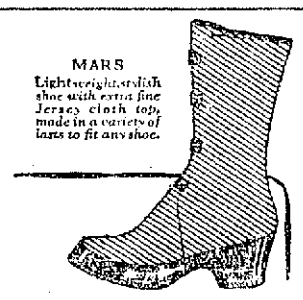

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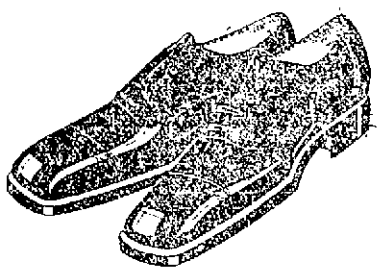

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N.E.A. Service Writer

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 31.—Some weeks ago, when New Orleans found itself without a ghost, due to a gambler's confession that the Haunted House was only a gambling resort and that the sporting sentry had even hired "spirits" to groan and clank their chains, the young bloods of the city found a new hangout for ethereal citizens.

It was located in Gallatin street, a deserted little river-front thoroughfare once given over to hectic revels in the good old steamboat days. Now the little street, dark, narrow, lined with rickety, ancient, overhanging and sagging houses, is used by rag-pickers and their ilk. For weeks society sailants had been taking their partners at the Vieux Carre balls to hear the ghost of Gallatin street. This particular ghost made a roaring, hissing sound.

Finally, some brave beau, who was not in on the secret, ventured to board the ghost in his den. It turned out to be the pet alligator of Judge Jules Prunot, who had parked his pet there for the winter.

American history records that Gen. Andrew Jackson won the battle of New Orleans. Nearly all historians admit his victory was largely due to reinforcements rushed him by the pirate Jean Laffite.

Now New Orleans is considering erecting a monument, near that of Gen. Jackson, to Pirate Laffite.

For the first time since 1796 the dripping fountain at the Old Absinthe house has stopped. The marble slab under the faucet, worn almost through by the constant drip from the siphon, is dry.

No gentleman ever drank his absinthe mixed with a spoon. The absinthe had to be placed in a glass and then slowly dissolved by the drip from the fountain.

Recently New Orleans experienced its coldest weather in years. The bartenders at the Old Absinthe house, now politely called a soft drink emporium, forgot to protect the fountain. So it froze up and burst.

The price of turnip greens in New Orleans has soared to unheard of heights. Negro mammies who once sold them in the old French Market for almost a song, have become the aristocrats of vegetable vendors. It's due to Josephus Daniels, former secretary of the navy.

When he was in Louisiana recently he remarked that Tom Marshall, former vice president of the United States, had said that what the nation needed was a good five-cent cigar.

"Mr. Marshall is wrong," said Mr. Daniels, "what America needs is more corn pone, hog jowl and turnip greens."

Immediately New Orleans commenced the rush on turnip greens.

AT ASSOCIATE HALL

Herlihe's orchestra from Portland, Me., will be the attraction tonight at Associate hall, furnishing the music at the Thursday evening social. Not only does this aggregation play snappy music but it provides a program of entertainment entirely different from any other in its line. The members of the team are versatile and a regular vaudeville show is produced in connection with its customary duties. Just as a reminder—Coupons for the four-day New York trip will be given to each person entering the hall and the fourth winner in the contest will be drawn Saturday evening.

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A NEW ORGAN

A new two Manuel Estey church organ has been installed at The Funeral church, 236 Westford street. It is much larger and better toned than the one previously in use. It will add greatly to the dignity and church-like atmosphere of funeral services held at this establishment. It is optional whether the organ is to be used at a funeral service or not. There is no charge for the use of the church, but if the organ is desired a fee is required for the organist. Mrs. Helen C. Taylor, organist at All Souls church, has consented to act in a like capacity at The Funeral church.

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SISTER MARY'S BEST RECIPES

VEGETABLE CHOWDERS

Hot chowders are particularly good for winter luncheons. Vegetables are quite as satisfactory as fish for these dishes.

Many children who will not drink milk will like it if served hot in a vegetable chowder.

POTATO CHOWDER

Four cups milk, 3 cups diced potatoes, 1 cup diced carrots, 2 slices onions, 2 tablespoons flour, 2 tablespoons butter, 1 teaspoon salt, ½ teaspoon celery salt, ¼ teaspoon pepper, 2 tablespoons minced parsley.

Put potatoes and carrots in kettle and pour over boiling water to barely cover. Cook five minutes. Add milk and cook, just below the boiling point for 20 minutes. Melt butter in a small pan with the slices of onion. Let stand over hot water for five minutes. Remove onion and stir in flour. Cook three minutes, stirring constantly, to cook the flour. Stir into milk and vegetable mixture, season with salt, pepper and parsley and let stand without boiling for three minutes longer.

Serve with toasted bread sticks.

CORN CHOWDER

One can of corn, 2 tablespoons diced salt pork, 1 small onion, 2 cups diced potatoes, 1 cup boiling water, 2 cups milk, 1 teaspoon salt, 2 tablespoons butter, 6 large crackers.

Try out fat from salt pork and add onion cut in slices. Cook slowly for five minutes without letting the fat brown. Strain fat into soup kettle. Parboil potatoes for five minutes and drain. Add to fat in kettle, pour over boiling water and cook 20 minutes. Add corn and milk, season with salt and pepper and bring to the boiling point. Add butter. Split crackers and soak in cold milk for five minutes. Remove from milk and put into soup tureen. Pour hot chowder over them and serve at once.

MIXED VEGETABLE CHOWDER

Two cups diced potatoes, 1 cup diced carrots, ½ cup diced turnips, ½ cup diced celery, 1 sweet green pepper, 1 onion, 3 tablespoons butter, 2 cups boiling water, 4 cups milk, 3 tablespoons flour, 1 teaspoon salt, ¼ teaspoon pepper.

Remove the seeds and white fiber from pepper and mince. Mince onion. Put all the vegetables in soup kettle, pour over boiling water, cover and simmer 20 minutes. Add milk and salt and bring to the boiling point. Melt butter, stir in flour and cook five minutes. Stir into milk and vegetable mixture and cook three minutes longer. Season with pepper and serve with large crackers prepared as in the preceding recipe or with croutons.

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FATHER ARRESTED AS SLAYER OF SCHOOLGIRL

MILLVILLE, N. J., Jan. 31.—Thompson Dickson, father of Emma Dickson, Bridgeton high school girl, whose body was found in a swamp two miles from her home Sept. 22 last, late night was arrested in his home and formally charged with the murder.

Detective Lee said that Benjamin Dickson, 84, grandfather of the girl, late yesterday, after lengthy questioning declared his son had beaten the girl to death in their house on the night of Sept. 13 and carried the body to the swamp.

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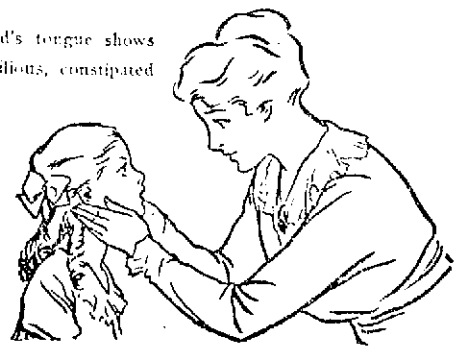

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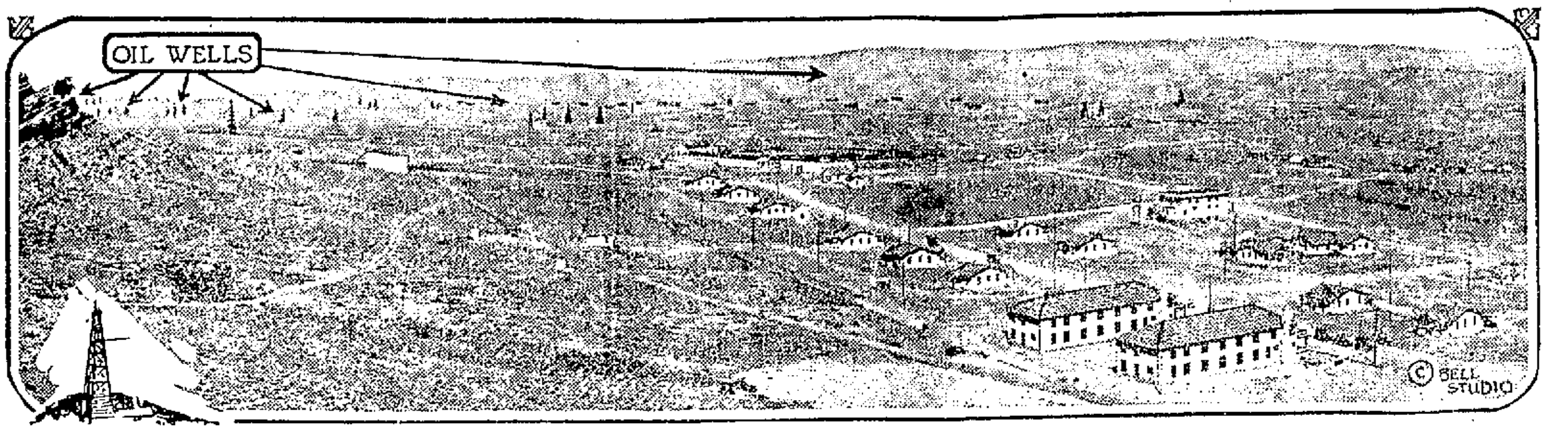
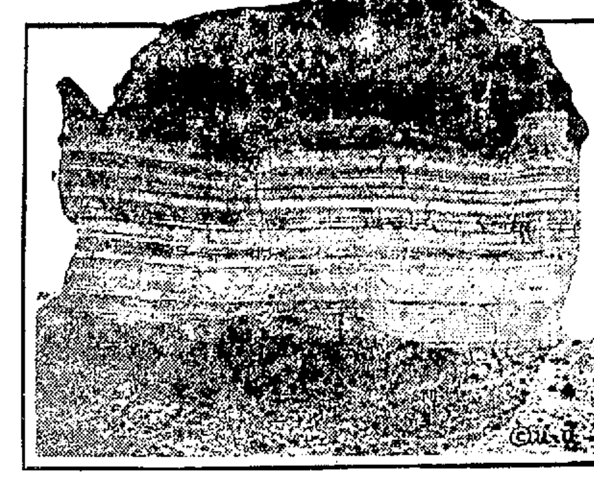


Here's why they call the now famous Wyoming oil field "Teapot Dome." Picture at the right shows the peculiar rock formation brought about by erosion, from which the district draws its name. Above is a panoramic view of the oil field which is now in the limelight as a result of the senate's probe of the conditions under which this portion of the naval oil reserve was leased to private interests. The Teapot Dome field is in central Wyoming, mainly in Natrona county.



Here's the Teapot Dome Teapot.

Pres. Coolidge Confers With Senate Leaders on Oil Leases

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president desired to discuss with the two democratic leaders the whole question of the investigation as made by the senate committee and as contemplated by the legislative branch of the government.

The conference was the first the president has had with democratic sentaor since the oil lease inquiry assumed its present major proportions.

Strawn at White House

Silas H. Strawn, one of the special counsel selected by the president to conduct the government's investigation, arrived at the White House almost simultaneously with the two senaros but did not go into conference with the president with them.

Arrangements were made meantime for a conference between Mr. Strawn and J. Crawford Biggs of Raleigh, N. C., an attorney said to have been intimately acquainted with the oil land policies carried out by Secretary Daniels, under the Wilson administration.

Before the house naval committee, which is inquiring into the disposition of royalty oils under the Doheny and Sinclair leases, a debate developed over the Daniels policies, with republican members declaring that the door for the Fall contracts originally was opened by the former democrat navy secretary.

The senate oil committee held no session, but three physicians selected by it went to the apartment where former Secretary Fall is confined to determine whether he is too ill to testify when the committee hearings are resumed tomorrow.

Rumors of Cabinet Changes

In the midst of these developments rumors of cabinet changes involving the retirement of Secretary Denby and Attorney General Daugherty, continued to fly thick and fast, but Secretary Slemp denied flatly a story that the wo cabinet members had placed their resignations before the president.

It was indicated that all features of the problem were talked over with the president by Senators Robinson and Walsh, but that most of the conference was taken up with the question of the special counsel who will prosecute the annulment suits.

Mr. Coolidge has selected Thomas W. Gregory of Texas, a former democratic attorney general, to act with Mr. Strawn and he is on his way to Washington. There were evidence yesterday, however, that something might have gone amiss in the plans and it was even more apparent today that the makeup of the government's counsel ws a subject still occupying a large share of attention in administration circles.

It was to talk over that subject that Chairman Lenroot of the oil committee and Senator Curtis of Kansas, the republican whip, made an early morning trip to the White House. Later Senator Lodge, the republican floor leader, also called on the president before his conference with the democratic leaders.

All the senators declined to say what trend the discussion had taken or whether the qualifications of either of the two attorneys selected by Mr. Coolidge had been questioned.

Judge Biggs, who is a democrat, would not comment on the question of whether he might become associated with the government's special counsel.

Tilts Delay Vote

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—With the Walsh resolution directing the president to move for annulment of the naval oil leases still tangled in the net of senate discussion, three physicians examined former Secretary Fall to determine independently for the investigating committee whether his condition will permit him to appear soon for questioning.

Silas H. Strawn, one of the lawyers selected by President Coolidge to represent the government in court action growing out of the inquiry, continued meanwhile his examination of evidence developed in the investigation while awaiting the arrival of former Attorney General Gregory, who will act with him, and the house naval committee proceeded with its inquiry into the disposal of Royalty Oil.

House Committee Calls Denby

The house committee yesterday heard Rear Admiral Latimer, judge advocate general of the navy, and has invited Secretary Denby, who remains under fire in the senate due to his connection with the oil leasing contracts, to present his views.

The senate committee held no session today, despite the request yesterday of E. L. Doheny, leader of the California reserve lease for a further hearing, but it will meet tomorrow to receive the report on Fall's condition from its physicians—Thomas A. Claytor, Daniel V. Stuart, Jr., and Sterling Ruffin—and is expected to receive the oil magnet then.

Politics and personal tilts together with efforts to modify the language of the Walsh resolution by three amendments, helped to force it over for further discussion today.

Special Meeting of Council Tomorrow Evening

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terest payments on outstanding loans as of January 1 will amount to $283,-717.35, or a reduction of substantially $50,000 from last year. This figure does not include discount on temporary money for 1924 or interest on any bond issues floated prior to July 1 of the current year.

Budget Again Taken Up

The budget and audit commission met this afternoon to continue its 1924 budget deliberations. The commission hopes to get all other departments out of the way before the school department estimates are submitted.

National Music Week

Mayor John J. Donovan is in receipt of a letter from the National Bureau for the Advancement of Music, asking his co-operation in the observance of National Music week, from May 4 to 10. The letter is from C. M. Tremaine, secretary of the bureau and suggests the desirability of taking some action toward the formation of a music week committee for the proper observance of the event in Lowell.

National Music week is the outgrowth of many local music weeks all over the country and its purpose is to spread a love for music and appreciation of its growing importance in the life of the individual and the community. Secretary Tremaine already has been in communication with Albert Edmund Brown, one of the leaders in local music circles, and Supt. John W. Kernan, of the park department.

Looking Ahead to 1932

A communication from the Sulgrave Institution of New York to Mayor Donovan today solicits his co-operation in a national celebration of the 200th anniversary of the birth of George Washington, which falls on Feb. 22, 1932. The mayor is asked to name a committee to care for local details and work with the national organization now in the process of formation.

Wild Scenes at Indianapolis

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spectful hearing for "a member of the president's cabinet."

While the tumult proceeded Lewis again took the floor and shouted at the top of his voice to make himself heard:

"The honor of your organization is at stake. You are on trial before the country. Exercise self restraint that our organization be not publicly shamed."

He then requested those unwilling to hear the speaker to leave the hall. After prolonged handclapping Secretary Davis began to speak.

Secretary Davis drew applause when he recommended a long term wage contract of five years, declaring such a wage agreement would bring about a long period of harmony in the coal industry and would eliminate "spot, or short coal gamblers—the worst menace of the industry."

Secretary Davis, in his speech, pleaded for a way in which to make the coal mines of the country safer for the miners.

CHILD SERIOUSLY INJURED BY AUTO

Eight-year-old Searle Blaney, son of Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Blaney of Westford, was seriously injured late yesterday afternoon when struck by an automobile operated by Frank Wright, Jr., of Westford. He was removed to the Lowell General hospital where it was found he was suffering from a fractured skull. His name was placed on the dangerous list last night and while his condition is still considered serious it is reported today that he is considerably improved.

EARLY MORNING ROOF FIRE

Sparks from a chimney set fire to a roof at 20 Appleton street at 1.50 this morning. Apparatus responding to a telephone alarm extinguished the blaze before any considerable damage had been done.

OH, PLEASE, MR. OFFICER TAKE ME TO JAIL!

Going to jail isn't half bad any more in Bucyrus, O. And there's a reason. Crawford county's free public boarding house has a new warden matron. Pretty 19-year-old Mildred Freese, just out of high school last June, took over the keys when her mother, Mrs. Frankie Freese, was appointed sheriff. Mrs. Freese is serving out her husband's unexpired term. He was killed in an automobile accident.

BUNKER CONVICTED OF MURDER

DETROIT, Jan. 31.—Jesse Bunker, alias Murphy, was convicted late yesterday of the murder of Frederick Webster, who was fatally wounded last August in a revolver fight between detectives and bandits they surprised in an attempt to hold up a blind pig. The jury was out 28 minutes. He was sentenced to a life term in prison. Bunker, in a statement to the court following his conviction admitted participation in the hold up, but denied that he fired the fatal shot.

NOT ON THE PROGRAM

Baldheaded Men Unconsciously Contributed to Amusement of Spectators

Outlines of Bird Formed by Shiny Pated Men Sitting in Parquet Seats

DANZIG, Jan. 31.—Baldheaded men occupying parquet seats in a Danzig theatre contributed unconsciously to the amusement of spectators in the galleries recently, as the result of the whim of the ticket seller. It is customary in central Europe for men to remove their hats upon entering shops or theatre lobbies and the ingenious agent took advantage of this practice to use the bald head men to carry out his scheme of fancy. He drew a picture on his seat chart and then disposed of certain seats only to baldheaded men.

As the parquet filled and the "baldheads" took their respective seats the outline was complete. Just before the curtain rose the audience above could plainly distinguish the outlines of a bird formed by the shiny pated men sitting contentedly below and wondering what all the laughing was about.

Big Show at North Billerica Tonight

KATHERINE A. CONDON
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Vice President

Tonight's a big night at North Billerica. Promptly at 8 o'clock the curtain at the Thomas Talbot Memorial hall will ring up on the first act of "Making Daddy Behave," a farcical comedy-drama to be presented by the Altissima Dramatic club of the town. There is comedy galore in the play ably presented by such an array of talent as Edward Gannon, Myles Finnegan, Mary Collins and Helen Hayes, Howard Conway, as the stern lawyer, Roland Conway as the bashful secretary, Mary A. McCarthy as the up-to-the-minute "grandma" mother-in-law, is great, and Helen Hayes as the excitable widow of only 38, is a riot. Other members of the cast have fully mastered the difficult parts assigned them and will put over one of the finest comedies that the town has ever had the pleasure of witnessing. Thomas J. Egan, well known local dramatic coach, assisted by James Gannon, have been rehearsing the cast for the past few weeks and the results are marvelous. The production will be well staged and as a capacity audience is looked for, everything points to one of the most successful entertainments that this live wire organization has sponsored.

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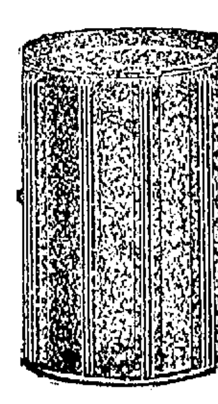

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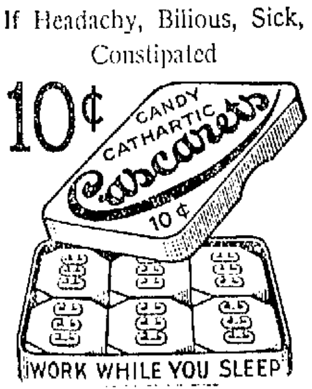

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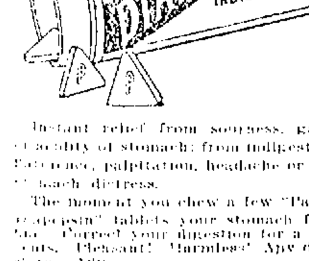

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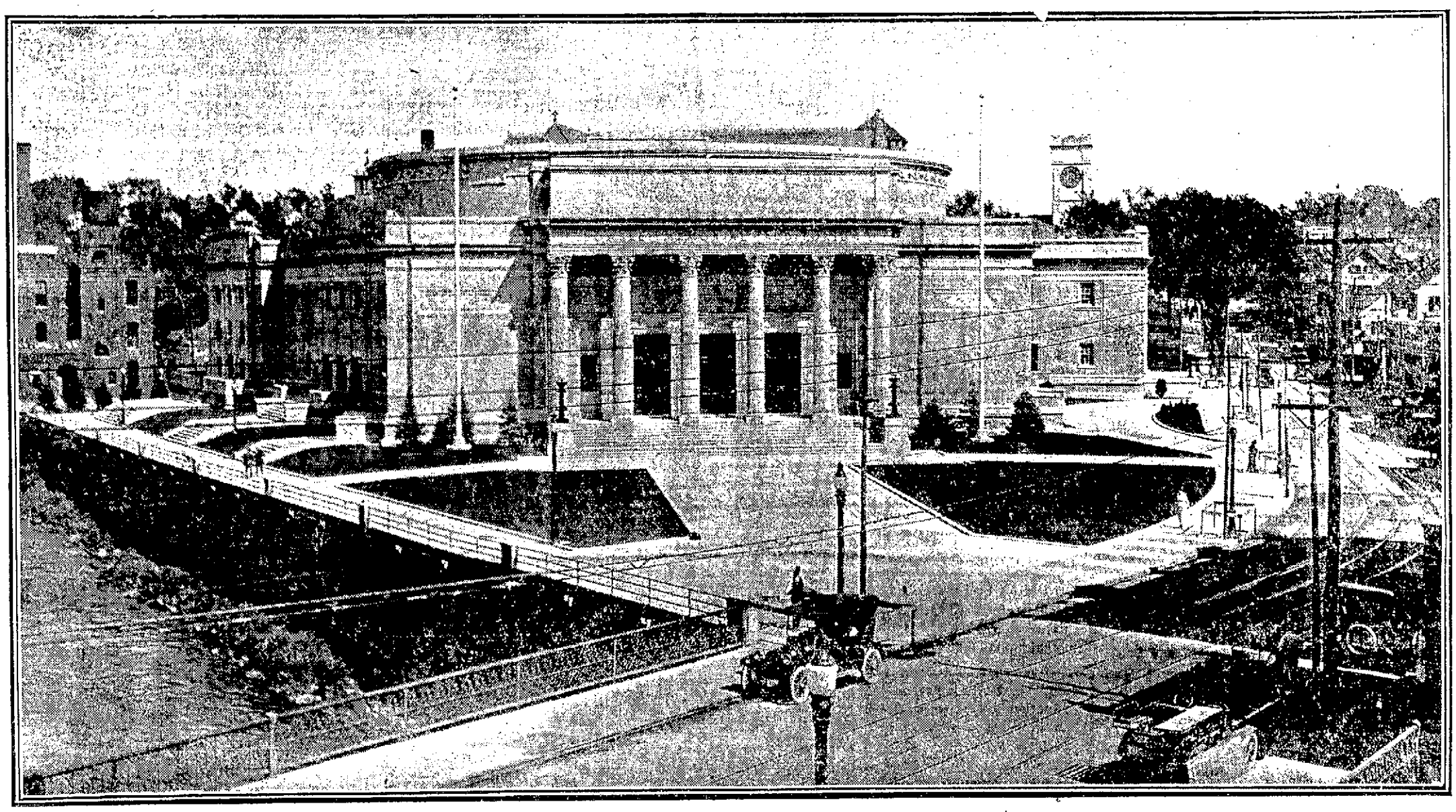

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In January last year 1 fatality was recorded and approximately 30 accidents resulting in personal injury occurred.

In speaking of the decrease in automobile accidents during this month, Chief Atkinson said that the record is all the more remarkable because of the far greater number of machines in daily use this month than in any previous winter months.

During the year 1923 a total of 13 persons met their deaths on the city streets as a result of automobile accidents, one was killed in Billerica and 2 in Tyngsboro during the same period. In 1922 only 6 persons were killed by automobiles in this city, which was a record not only for cities the size of Lowell in this state but throughout the whole country.

At first glance, said Chief Atkinson this morning, it would appear that the increase in the number of fatalities in 1923 showed a fault either among the police or among automobile operators. But when it is taken into consideration that there were 106,000 more automobiles in operation in this state in 1923 than in 1922, the reason for the increase in automobile fatalities is easily understood. In fact, he continued, 1922 was an exceptional year for this city, the total number of deaths in the four years prior to 1922 averaging nearly 20 per year was far better than that average.

Plans for handling the increased traffic of 1924 are still in the process of formation, said the superintendent. In 1923 every officer did traffic duty near the schools and churches and at main cross streets during the heavy traffic periods. In addition to this extra traffic officers were put on duty and the motorcycle officers spent a considerable part of their time directing traffic in sections away from the centre of the city where traffic conditions are bad.

The traffic problems must be met as they come, he continued, for there is no precedent to fall back upon in connection with this work. Lowell is handicapped by its narrow streets and lack of parking space but with efficient handling of traffic by the police and a hearty cooperation of automobilists, the problems will be lightened and the danger of accidents lessened.

SOUTHPAWS NEEDED IN MAJOR LEAGUES

By N.E.A. Service

NEW YORK, Jan. 30.—American league managers are hopeful that the coming season will develop some capable southpaws. It is a noteworthy fact that both major leagues have been weak in left-handed pitching for several years.

In Joe Shaute and Jim Edwards Cleveland has two of the best prospects. Unless these two youngsters come through, Manager Speaker is going to be hard put for pitchers.

In the closing weeks of the American league race, a young southpaw by the name of Whitehill featured for Detroit against the Tygers' two strongest rivals, New York and Cleveland. Cobb admits he is banking on Whitehill.

Herbie Pennock stands out as the best southpaw in the American league, yet Pennock, as far as natural ability is concerned, in no way compares to former crack southpaws like Rube Waddell, Vean Gregg, Eddie Plank and others.

Pennock, slight of stature, is compelled to constantly reserve his strength. A wise head is as big a factor as his arm in the success that has come his way.

FIREMAN INJURED BY AUTOMOBILE

Hoseman Herman Morrison, of the crew of Engine 5, Fourth street, was slightly injured early last evening when he was struck and knocked down by an automobile operated by Arthur Lemaine of 17 Holden street. The accident occurred shortly after 6 o'clock as Mr. Morrison was on his way home from work. As he started to cross Bridge street at Fourth to board an electric car he was struck by the machine. He was taken to his home, 17 Holden street, by Mr. Lemaine, who later reported the accident to the police.

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VIOLIN RECITAL BY MISS L. M. SULLIVAN

Miss Lillian M. Sullivan, pupil of Miss Irene Lawlor, and a senior at the Lowell high school where she is a member of the orchestra, gave an enjoyable violin recital at Miss Lawlor's studio, 76 Varnum street, last evening before an interested audience. Miss Sullivan, who is also a member of the League of Catholic Women's orchestra, was ably assisted last evening by Miss Mary Casey of Emerson College of Oratory, Boston, who entertained with various selected readings. The program:

Concerto in D....................Seitz
Miss Sullivan
Reading ....Selected
Miss Casey
(a) Spring Song..........Mendelssohn
(c) Londonderry Air..........Kriesler
(d) Old Folks at Home (For string only) ....Zimbalist
Miss Sullivan
Hungarian Dance No. 5.......Brahms
Hungarian Dance No. 6.......Brahms
Miss Sullivan
Reading ....Selected
Miss Casey
(a) Kuiawiak ....Wieniawski
(b) Introduction and Polonaise..Allen
Miss Sullivan
Miss Mary Sullivan, usher

St. Patrick's School Alumni Holds Reunion and Banquet

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Catholic education, which he characterized as "conduct and the acceptance of Divine authority." "Instead of applauding, let us say: 'St. Patrick's, our lips are praising you; St. Patrick's, our hearts are loving you; St. Patrick's our lives are living you—St. Patrick's."

Jeremiah J. O'Sullivan

"I am merely a spokesman for the alumni," said Jeremiah J. O'Sullivan in opening. "We come here with love and affection that we have not forgotten the teachings and principles we learned here. Friendship and faith in friendship as the brothers have taught us, is binding. May we return again and again to give testimony of it."

Rev. Bro. Peter, C.F.X.

"Loyalty," was the subject of Bro. Peter's talk. He sketched the life of the school historically, saying that its immediate inheritance goes back to April, 1882, when the school was founded with the appointment of Fr. Mahoney as pastor by Bishop Fenwick, and the building up of the "Acre" by Hugh Cummiskey and his band of Irishmen who walked from Boston. Shortly after 1830, St. Patrick's became known as the Fifth district school of Lowell, but always known as St. Patrick's, and we had the peculiar situation of a parochial school being supported through public taxation."

Referring to the Broadway club monument to World war heroes, Bro. Peter said it was significant that the only other monument to such heroes outside the Memorial Auditorium was instituted through the foresight and zeal of former St. Patrick's boys. "Your shibboleth," he concluded, "has been as St. Patrick's wills it. Have frequent meetings. As long as you follow the advice of your pastor and his assistants, then you follow the admonition of the Master, and your wish may be expressed, as mine is tonight, 'God bless you old St. Patrick's. None know you but to love you, none name you but to praise.'"

The Indomitable "Bob" Hart

The final speaker of the evening was "Bob" Hart, whose inside stories of baseball are always interesting. He was in excellent form last night and proved an appropriate closing attraction for the gathering which went home happy in the thought that their school-day affiliations were linked with St. Patrick's in the Acre.

The committee in charge of the function was as follows:

John J. Monahan, chairman; Daniel Cunningham, secretary; Bro. Clarence, C.F.X., treasurer, John Flannery, Eugene A. Fitzgerald, Timothy O'Sullivan, William A. Walsh, John T. McDermott, Henry Duran, Joseph Regan, James Furey.

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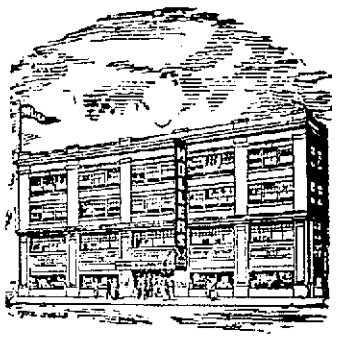
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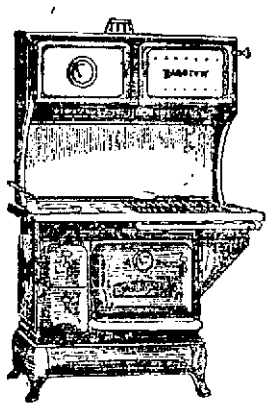

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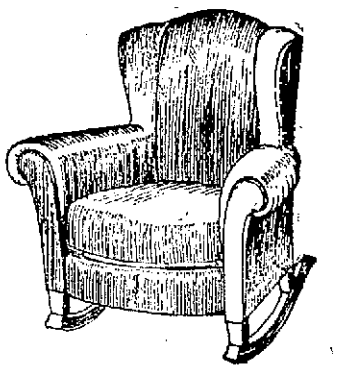
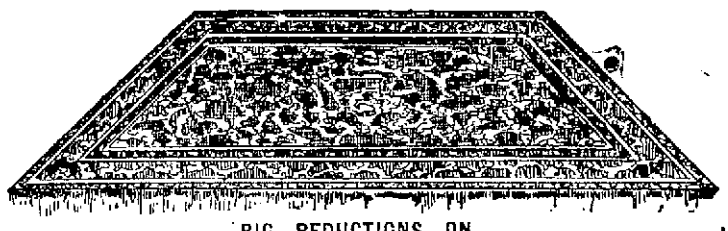


We will offer this large, comfortable rocker, upholstered in genuine Spanish leather, at this unheard-of price. This rocker is solidly built with heavy hardwood frames and will give years of satisfactory service.



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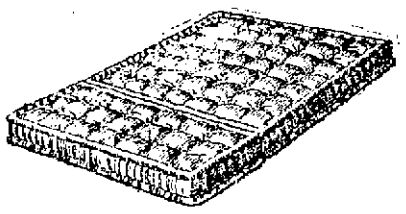

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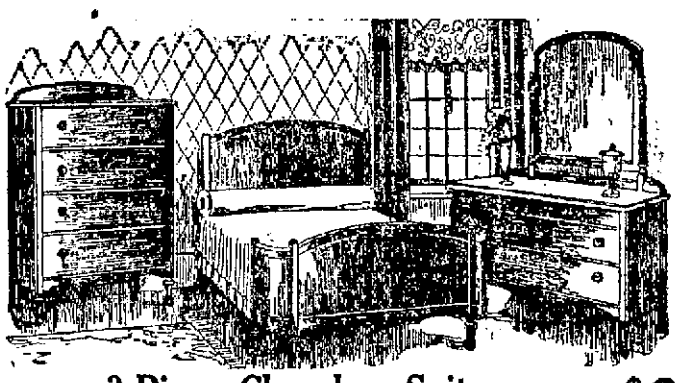

3-Piece Chamber Suite **$69**

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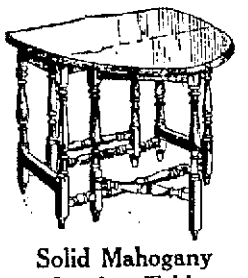
Here is a very unusual value. A charming suite solidly constructed of walnut in combination with other hardwoods. It consists of full size bow-foot bed, spacious chiffonier and large dresser with plate mirror.



Solid Mahogany Gateleg Table

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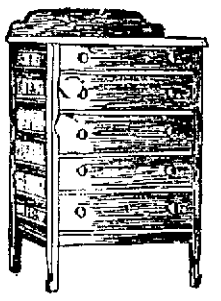
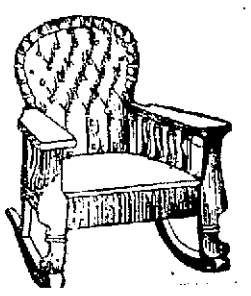
This table is made of solid mahogany throughout. It is 48 inches long when open. This is one of the greatest values ever offered by any store for a solid mahogany gateleg table.



Chiffonier

Reduced to..... **$10.75**

This chiffonier is solidly built of genuine golden oak and is very nicely finished. It has five large drawers. At this remarkably low price it is a rare bargain.



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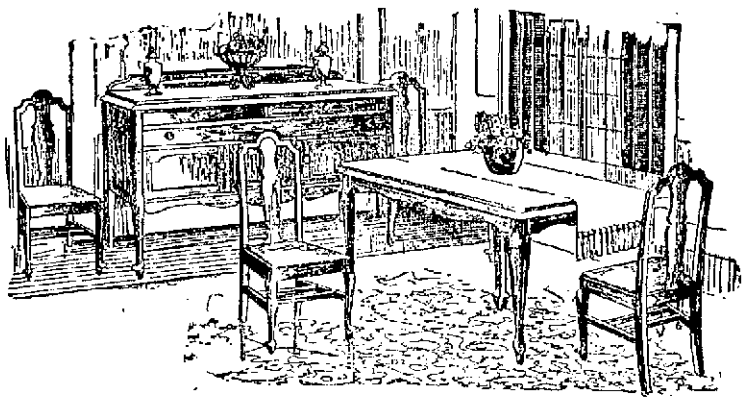
This large, comfortable rocker has wide arms and heavy, well-built frame. It is very nicely upholstered in imitation leather. It will be hard to find this rocker at anywhere near our sale price.



6-Piece Dining Room Suite **$69**

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Consisting of large buffet, oblong extension table and four chairs with genuine leather slip seats. The suite is strongly constructed of hardwoods in the Queen Anne design and is nicely finished to resemble walnut. A really wonderful value at our February Sale price.

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This table is an exact reproduction; has inlaid decoration and fluted legs. Handsomely built of mahogany in combination with other hardwoods. A fine Colonial table useful in many different ways. Reduced for our February Sale to

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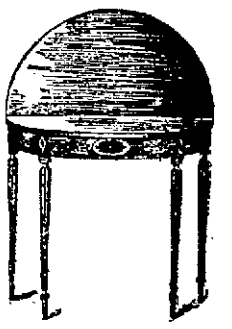

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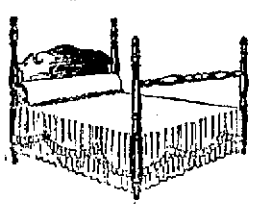
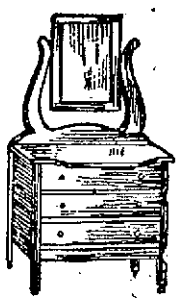


Four-Poster Bed

Reduced to..... **$22.50**

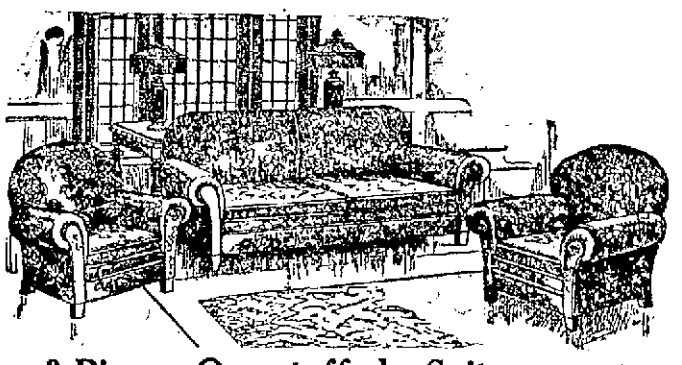
This four-poster bed is made of the best quality mahogany in combination with other hard woods. These Colonial reproductions never go out of date and fit in well with odd bedroom pieces. The price has been greatly reduced for this sale.



Dresser

Reduced to..... **$12.95**

This handsome genuine golden oak dresser has large mirror and three spacious drawers. Be sure to see this amazing value.



3-Piece Overstuffed Suite **$79**

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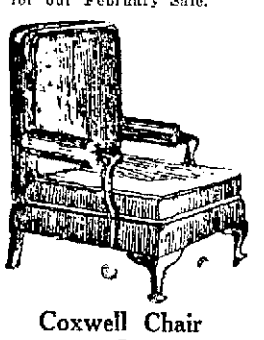
This suite has loose cushion seats and spring construction. It consists of davenport and two large arm chairs, upholstered in a good grade of tapestry. Built to last a lifetime.



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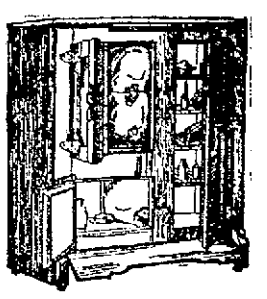

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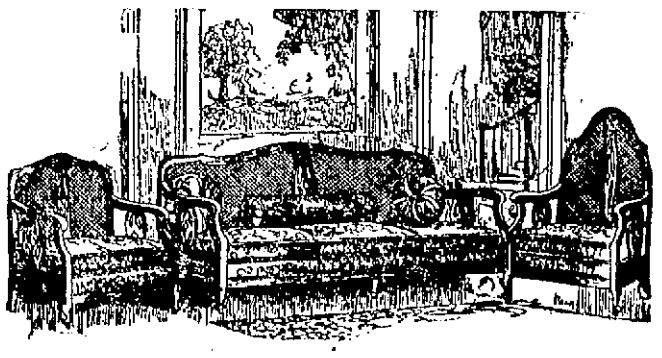

3-Piece Cane Living Room Suite **$149**

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Consisting of arm chair, high back chair and davenport, upholstered in genuine cut velour. All three pieces are large; built for solid comfort and long service. The frames are solidly constructed of hardwood and finished to resemble mahogany. The low February Sale price includes two pillows and bolster.

10-Piece Dining Room Suite **$229**

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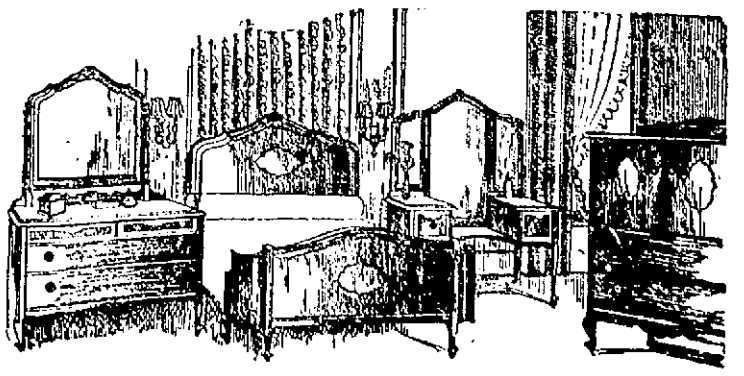
This suite is solidly constructed on massive lines in the pleasing Tudor period style of walnut in combination with other hardwoods. It consists of spacious 60-inch buffet, oblong extension table, china closet with glass panels, serving table, host chair and five side chairs with genuine leather seats. A very high grade suite at a specially low price.



4-Piece Chamber Suite **$119**

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This suite is very finely made of walnut in combination with other choice cabinet woods. It consists of bow-foot bed, large dresser, chiffonette and semi-vanity case. It is very beautifully finished in two-tone effect. Greatly reduced for our February Sale.

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THE G. O. P. OIL SCANDALS

It must be plain to the nation at large that the republican party as it exists at the present time stands in great need of a general house cleaning. It is sinking in a quagmire of political corruption from which even President Coolidge, who is trying to save his party, may not be able to escape.

The scandals of the Veterans' bureau had not subsided when that of Tea Pot Dome broke over the heads of the leaders in Washington. It directly involves two cabinet officials, Attorney General Daugherty and Secretary Denby of the navy department. Senator Hiram Johnson tries to cast the responsibility upon President Coolidge; but in the subordinate position of vice president when the oil leases were negotiated, it was hardly to be expected that he would interfere with the negotiations which at that time seemed to be all right.

Now, however, the inside facts appear and there are indications of corruption in which former Secretary Fall of the interior department and Secretary Denby of the navy are directly implicated. There is suspicion regarding the transfer of the leasing power from the navy department to the interior, and there is good reason to suspect corruption in the amounts of money paid by the Sinclair oil interests to Mr. Fall or the head of his ranch subsequent to the grant of the Tea Pot Dome lease.

The resignation of Secretary Denby is called for and Daugherty, the attorney general, has been ignored by the president in hiring two eminent lawyers to prosecute the guilty parties.

In this step President Coolidge hopes to avert the damaging political effect of the exposure upon his own political standing and that of his party.

How can any party go before the country with any hope of success while smeared all over with this oil scandal, following close on the heels of the disgraceful revelations of the Veterans' bureau?

To Senator Walsh of Montana, a staunch democrat, belongs the credit of exposing the corrupt deals by which the government oil reserves were leased out. It is but reasonable to expect that these scandals will turn public sentiment against the republican party and cause the electorate to bury it in defeat at the next national election. The administration at Washington has proved a great disappointment in every sense; and now that it adds corruption and jobbery to incapacity, it is clearly the duty of the people to drive it from power. It looks now as if the republican party will pass out under a cloud of corruption.

THE DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATES

There is much curiosity as to what will be the effect on the political situation of the announcement by Senator Reed of Missouri that he is an avowed candidate for the presidency. Senator Reed is a very able man in many respects although as a democrat he has not inspired much faith in his party fealty. Indeed it is alleged that he owes his seat in the senate more to the favor of the republicans in his own state than to the support of democrats, which is not a tribute to his loyalty to the democratic party. Republicans do not generally support rank adherents of the opposition party.

In any case Senator Reed will evidently be in the running until the votes are counted in the convention, and he may be expected to use his power of satire and invective with telling effect on his opponents. It is stated that ex-Governor Cox of Ohio, who led the party to defeat in 1920, will again be a candidate although he has not as yet made a positive announcement to that effect. The fact that he was beaten by such an overwhelming majority will militate against his candidacy this year. Moreover, in the election of four years ago, the main issue was the League of Nations. Ex-Governor Cox has been in Europe since then, and it is alleged that since his return he is more strongly in favor of the League of Nations than ever before. It can hardly be expected that the League of Nations will become a vital issue in the next national campaign as it was in that of four years ago. If by any unforeseen influence it should be made an issue, we cannot foresee any result much different from that by which it was repudiated four years ago.

Mr. McAdoo is conducting a quiet and effective campaign throughout the country although he has strong opposition in New York and several other states, so that it is not yet known just what will be his individual strength when the time for holding the convention arrives. Senator Underwood of Alabama is said to be gaining strength as a candidate, although he is not sacrificing his principles to gain support. He is opposed to the bonus at the present time, but favors a radical reduction in the present system of taxation and, of course, as a high authority on the tariff, he is opposed to an excessively high tariff such as the republicans have put into effect, on the ground that it has caused other nations to retaliate with the result that our foreign markets are cut off and our merchant marine lies practically idle. Senator Underwood is the foremost statesman in the country at the present time; and he would undoubtedly lead all the other democratic candidates, but for the fact that he is from the south. Yet that should not be held against him for the reason that his record in the senate proves him to be one of the most broad-minded statesmen in that august body.

PRICE OF GASOLINE

It would seem that the gasoline war is over inasmuch as the low prices that have prevailed for the past few months have been abandoned; and now the price is hovering at the old figures of from 20 to 22½ cents per gallon. Some months ago, it was sold as low as 14½ cents; but this price was the result of a contest between rival companies and was not expected to be long continued. In 1915, gasoline sold for 17 cents very generally throughout the country; but since then, it has advanced about 30 per cent, whereas the general price of other commodities advanced nearly twice as much.

The demand for gasoline is continually increasing; and although for the present the supply seems almost unlimited, yet it can hardly be expected that the price will be much lower than 22 or 23 cents per gallon. The matter of placing a special tax on gasoline seems to have been very generally adopted throughout the country. Already 36 states have imposed a gasoline tax ranging from one to three cents per gallon, and with a tax of four cents in the state of Arkansas. An effort has recently been made to adopt a tax of two cents per gallon in this state; and the measure has been held up on a referendum which will come before the voters in the state election next fall. There is very little doubt that it will be adopted; inasmuch as part of the money to be collected from this tax is to be used for keeping the highways in good condition. Nevertheless, the owners of motor vehicles protest that the tax is unfair inasmuch as they claim to be paying a great many special taxes on the motor vehicles for registration, operators' licenses and other charges. Only thirteen states of the Union have failed to adopt the gasoline tax, and it is expected that most of these will fall in line with the others either this year or next. One of the reasons why the tax is favored is that the large motor trucks do serious damage to the highways, especially in the springtime, and hence the owners of autos in general will be obliged to contribute to a special tax for the upkeep of the highways. The people will have to decide this question by their votes next fall.

GOOD WILL ASSET

Directors of the Woolworth 5-and-10-cent stores now value the company's "good will" at 20 million dollars. "Good will" is an invisible asset. It is, to a business, what reputation is to the individual.

A business may lose its last dollar—everything tangible that it owns. But as long as it retains its reputation for fair dealing and merit, there is still a lot to salvage. So with people. Reputation is the best form of wealth.

SCHWAB OPTIMISTIC

Charles M. Schwab, veteran steel maker, says: "Of all the numerous steel plants I have had a part in building, we have never yet built one where the demand did not outgrow the capacity of the mill long before we expected. So not be afraid to go ahead."

It is next to impossible to plan on too big a scale in this rapidly growing country of ours. Eyes front, is the watchword of the successful business man.

That will certainly be a rousing meeting planned for Mechanics hall, Boston, next Sunday afternoon, in advance of the bonus for the World war veterans. With Senator Walsh, General Edwards, Mayor Curley and several high Legion officials as spokesmen, the meeting will give the movement for a bonus a fresh impetus. The soldiers are entitled to the bonus; but the claim is made that to meet this it popularity now, would prevent effective tax reduction that is absolutely necessary to relieve the people from the intolerable tax burdens and restore business activity throughout the country.

William H. Anderson, former head of the anti-saloon league in New York, is convicted of perjury in a New York court. He was one of the most flippant denouncers of the violators of the liquor law while he himself was perhaps more guilty than those whom he denounced.

Great Britain moves for a resumption of good feeling with France and the idea is sympathetically received by Premier Poincare, but this does not mean that France is to get out of the Ruhr.

The big auto show at the Memorial Auditorium is the best ever attempted in this city. It cannot fail to interest everybody who is concerned in the progress of the times.

It is proposed in Connecticut to disfranchise violators of the prohibition law. That would cause a great slump in the voting population if generally enforced.

The Lowell delegation in the legislature should get behind the bill for clearing the filth from the lower Concord.

The administration at Washington is too busily engaged in the oil scandal to devote any attention to the industrial depression.

Norway leads thus far in the Olympics at Chamonix, France, which is a high honor for Norway.

SEEN AND HEARD

There's more truth than poetry in the majority of verses.

Looking back over a waste of years doesn't get you anywhere.

Tom Riley tells this one: When the doctor arrived he found the patient in tears. "Cheer up, my good man," he said, "you'll pull through all right." "I don't care about that, boo," groaned the patient, "but just think of the money I've spent buying apples to keep you away."

A newspaper of St. Petersburg, Fla., in its issue of Jan. 12 carried the notice: "Free today. Don't pay." It was the 72d time the paper had been without price to readers, although it has had a standing offer for more than 13 years to give its copies away when the sun declines to show itself to the "Sunshine City."

A Thought

Not only is there an art in knowing a thing, but also a certain art in teaching it.—Cicero.

Many Telephone Talks

During the year 1921, the number of telephone conversations in the United States totalled 17,520,000,000 or an average of 48,000,000 a day. In France, where the telephone system is operated by the government, and is much less developed than in this country there were only 665,524,000 conversations in 1921, a daily average of but 1,815,403.

Purist Squelched

On a southern train a drummer was speaking with enthusiasm about his home city. "My town is on the boom," he declared. "She is a great little town." There was a purist in the smoker. He sniffed and demanded: "Why do you say 'she is a great little town?' Would it not be equally proper to say 'he is a great little town?'" "I don't think so." "Give me a reason." "I came from Charlotte."

Felt Complimented

It was in traffic court. The officer told his story briefly, stepped down and the defendant stepped up. The judge took him in hand. "The officer says you were going 40 miles an hour." "Very well, your honor." The judge, visibly nonplused by this, looked him over keenly. "Hum. You are the first motorist I ever saw who did not seem angry with the officer." "Well, it's the first compliment ever paid my old bus."

The Smile's Value

"Consider the smile, my son," admonished old Grandpa Pennywise. "A smile is much more than a pleasing facial contortion. It will smooth your way through life. It may get you a promotion or win a wife for you. The smile makes sales for the merchant and breezes the professional man along his helpful way. You can actually draw a salary on a smile. Keep this in mind the next time you visit the theatre. Many a successful vaudeville player has no other stock in trade."

Her Favorite

Miss Teachem, wishing to arouse the interest of her Sunday school class, asked them each to write down the name of their favorite hymn. All the pupils bent their heads over pencil and paper for a few minutes, and then handed in their slips. All, that is to say, except Mary. "Come, Mary," the teacher said, "write down the name of your favorite hymn and bring the paper to me." Mary wrote and, with downcast eyes and flaming cheeks, handed the teacher a slip of paper bearing the words: "Willie Smith."—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Very Embarrassing

Mary Ellen, a country girl, on her first visit to London, boarded an omnibus. Presently the conductor came up to her and said: "Your fare, miss." The girl blushed. The conductor repeated, "Your fare, miss," and the girl blushed more deeply. By this time the conductor began to look foolish. After a pause he tried again: "Miss, your fare!" "Well," said the girl, "they do say I'm good looking at home, but I don't see why you want to say it out loud before all these people."

Love's Values

A pencil doll, a broken toy,
A little worn-out shoe,
Remnants recalling vanished joy
In days when they were new,
A faded rose with broken stem
—They have no quoted worth,
No one would give a cent for them;
I wouldn't take the earth.

A picture drawn with childish hands,
A little note to say
That love a little heart commands
And shall command alway—
More dear than gold or diadem,
On all a planet's girth,
—No one would give a cent for them;
I wouldn't take the earth.

—CLARENCE E. FLYNN in Farm Life.

THE MAN ABOUT TOWN

Although the augmented army recruiting party on duty here is not producing any astounding results, it is doing considerable to create more civic pride in the nation's military establishment. The men added to the local permanent party for a special drive are all soldierly in appearance and inspire a high degree of confidence that the army which has so dwindled in size in the past half-decade is still the same in spirit, discipline and smartness.

Lowell business in comforts—buyers would resent it if you called them luxuries—is about the same today as it was a year ago at this time. A reporter for The Sun this morning visited five cheap stores and five candy and soda stores. In each store he asked the proprietor or manager to look at his books and compare his January business to date with his January business of a year ago.

In the ten stores only two had to look. The others had the figures at their fingers' ends. Averaging the variations of the ten stores' business thus for this month, or the total receipts, has proven almost to the dot what it was during the period of January a year ago.

"Yes, we're working harder for it," was the gist of the remarks. To prove it they showed that more money has been spent by them this month for advertising and more 'specials' have been made up to attract the buyers than was the rule a year ago.

Special sales of overcoats, will advertised, have attracted good throngs of buyers to the local clothing stores, a survey of the stores today indicated. The proportion of buyers seems to be more for topcoats for spring use than for the heavy winter garments despite the fact that the clothiers' drive is particularly with the view to unload the heavier material.

Autoists have been particularly attentive to the sales, buying coats of snappy appearance without much regard as to warmth properties, dealers say. The business, in cash, is said to be the best since several weeks prior to Christmas. The cold snap over the week end drove many buyers to the stores and Monday and Tuesday were especially productive of sales, although Saturday ranked as an extremely good day.

One man who has faith in the future of Lowell business was found today, located in a side street not far from the square. This merchant has a small store for which he was paying $90 a month rent. His lease had two years to run at that figure when this noon he voluntarily broke it and signed a new ten-year agreement with the owner to pay $110 a month.

"Did you do it because you were frightened by talk that the property may be sold?" he was asked by a Sun reporter.

"No, of course I thought of that, but I figured the noise would surely come anyhow and perhaps be for a shorter term at even an increased figure. Things are bound to pick up, and believe me, brother, I'm going to be doing business at the same old stand when they do."

That's something for the folks pessimistic as to the business future to ponder on.

A message to members of the American Legion in Massachusetts is conveyed from Maj. Gen. Clarence R. Edwards in the foreword to the new manual of post Americanism activities, just issued. He says:

"My definition of an American, after my experience in France, is the kind of a lad who would march up under our colors against a bunch of machine gun nests and do it with a smile on his face, as I saw thousands of them do, wherever they were born or wherever their parents were born. I believe this epitomizes the kind of Americanism we want, which I would like to believe is in the hearts of all the foreign born, the kind that solves our problems of amalgamation and assimilation. That sacred kind of fraternity is what the legion should work for in these peace times."

The booklet, a short manual containing instructions for local posts in the conduct of Americanism activities, is prepared by the state department Americanism committee in response to the resolution made at the Marblehead convention last year. John J. Walsh of Lowell is a member of this committee. A part of the booklet, devoted to etiquette, is highly instructive and interesting. Suggestions for holiday activities, all of a practical nature and proven from past experiences of various posts, are also made.

FOR W. W. VETERANS

Mr. Rogers Submits Bill to Increase Funeral Allowance to $200

Special to the Sun

Washington, D. C., Jan. 31.

Congressman Rogers of Massachusetts has introduced a bill increasing from $100 to $200 the allowance made for the burial of World War veterans. The measure is approved by Secretary of War Weeks, Director Hines of the Veterans Bureau and the American Legion. The allowance of $100 was considered altogether too meagre.

Mr. Rogers presented Edmund J. Cheney of the Massachusetts Bureau of Correction to President Coolidge today.—RICHARDS.

SEPARATE TOWNSHIP OR ANNEXATION

Citizens of North and West Chelmsford plan to rally in the recreation hall at Silesia mills tomorrow evening, to discuss the question: "Separate Township or Annexation to Lowell?" The meeting, planned several weeks ago, is to be conducted under the auspices of the Silesia Mills Athletic association. Agent Bernard F. Gilmore of the North Chelmsford Woolen mills, active member of the athletic association, and interested in village improvements of many kinds, will be on hand to lead the discusssions.

Interest in the problem of town improvements and various matters affecting North Chelmsford civic conditions, has rapidly increased since the announcement in The Sun several weeks ago that prominent citizens were prepared to fight for better treatment from the town fathers in the way of town betterments, or secession from the Chelmsford corporation would follow.

The voters of North and West Chelmsford mean business today. Representative Achin's bill calling for the annexation of part of the Lowell surrounding towns, has awakened Chelmsford citizens to their opportunity.

Taxpayers of North Chelmsford set forth the facts that the town government has been scanty in appropriating money for better highways and village improvements in other directions, so far as the north end of the township is concerned. The community loses in attractiveness what has been given to Chelmsford Centre, the townsmen say.

As reported in The Sun's special story of recent date, Agent Gilmore, leading the present movement to have North Chelmsford given better treatment by the town government in the future or explain the reason why, declares for a lower tax rate, better streets and sidewalks, better schooling facilities and a sewerage system. The latter problem is one that must be met without delay, according to Mr. Gilmore, and the citizens of North Chelmsford agree with him.

At tomorrow night's rally of the electorate, plans will be made for the organization of "The North Chelmsford Village Improvement association."

Exactly 171 names of new voters were registered in North Chelmsford district alone, last week, when the board of registrars held regular sessions. Agent Gilmore announces that the Silesia mills will be closed Monday afternoon, Feb. 11, to enable employes to perform their duties in town meeting and also cast their ballots for town officers.

CUTTING ICE ON THE MERRIMACK RIVER

Miss Martina Gage's confident prediction in The Sun last week that ice cutting on the Merrimack river would probably start this week, was prophesy correct. First cutting has started on the river just above Pawtucket dam, only a small gang of ice-cutters beginning operations. The ice is thinner than some harvested in past seasons, but the Gage people are to take no chances and will continue harvesting the present fields as long as possible.

N. E. NURSERYMEN MEET

James J. McManmon of Dracut Takes Active Part in Boston Meeting

James J. McManmon, of Dracut, took a vigorous part in the opening proceedings of the New England Nurserymen's association, held in Boston yesterday. The well known nurseryman, leading an all-members' vigorous protest against the expenditures of public funds for the purchase of foreign nursery stock in preference to home-grown hit a popular chord. Toward the close of a session devoted to discussion of a national botanic garden at Washington, plant registration and horticultural legislation among many other things close to nature, a storm broke in the convention of the Nurserymen's association in progress at Hotel Bellevue.

Edward W. Breed of Clinton, well known horticulturist, presented to those gathered for the thirteenth annual meeting the matter of James R. Shea, chairman of the Boston park commissioners, sailing on February 16 next for Europe to purchase 800 "true English elms and European linden," which are to be planted in Boston parks as a memorial to hero citizens who lost their lives in the World war.

Immediately upon Mr. Breed's reading of this plan, approved by Mayor James J. Curley of Boston and carrying an item of $900 for the expense of the foreign tree junket, delegates to the meeting, led by Florist McManmon, took the floor and in no uncertain terms expressed themselves upon the merits of foreign and American trees, both as to relative values and as memorials to American dead. They then passed a resolution condemning the city of Boston's procedure and appointed a committee of three to call upon Mayor Curley to ask reconsideration of the project.

The resolution of protest was introduced by Mr. McManmon and read as follows:—

"Resolved, that the New England Nurserymen's association protest the action of the city of Boston in sending to Europe to purchase foreign trees to perpetuate the memory of Boston soldiers killed in the World war, as it is a matter of common knowledge that American species are less liable to be attacked by foreign insects, such as the leopard moth and the elm leaf beetle, which raise havoc with such trees on the American continent, and that American trees can be purchased at considerably less cost.

"It is also moved that copies of this resolution be sent to Mayor Curley, the federal horticultural board in Washington and to the American Legion."

The committee appointed to call upon Mayor Curley consists of Richard M. Wyman of Framingham, vice president elect for 1924; Christian van der Voet, superintendent of the Arnold Arboretum, and Harlan P. Kelsey of Salem, president of the National Association of Nurserymen. Each of these men including Mr. McManmon, took the floor in spirited opposition to the proposed Shea purchases.

MORE GOOD WORK BY THE POLICE

The speedy recovery of a pocketbook containing $50 that had been lost in this city by a young Manchester, N. H., woman was effected last night by Police Lieut. Patrick J. Frawley.

The young woman discovered her loss at the corner of Dutton and Merrimack streets on her way to the depot and, not knowing the city, she was unable to inform the lieutenant where the purse might have been lost except that she had been a passenger on either a Highland or Westford street car. Lt. Frawley remembered seeing a Highland car pass Dutton street only a few minutes before. He commandeered an automobile and with the young woman started in pursuit of the car.

At Coral and Westford streets the electric car was overtaken. Lt. Frawley questioned the operator and learned that a passenger had picked up the pocketbook and turned it over to him. After proving ownership the pocketbook was given to the young woman who was profuse in her thanks to both the police lieutenant and the car operator.

WALKER-ROGERS POST MEETINGS

Walker-Rogers Post No. 662, Veterans of Foreign Wars, is to hold regular meetings in the future on different dates from the former semi-monthly schedule. The announcements of all coming meetings will be announced through the press.

Many former service men in Lowell will be directly or indirectly affected if the several Massachusetts legislative bills concerning world war veterans' relief go through. The veterans' organizations now have an adequate legislative committee looking after all resolves and measures affecting the ex-soldiers' welfare. National headquarters of the V. of F. W. will shortly announce its legislative program, having been active since the last encampment on bills that will aid disabled ex-service men.

Commander David F. Caddell has just issued circulars to all post members, advising them to remember and do their share cheerfully in all organization work of the future. Past Commander George D. Crowell is a busy man these days, keeping in close touch with Walker-Rogers post members at all times as of old.

Over eighty thousand readers daily will have an opportunity to read your ad if you place it in The Sun, Lowell's greatest advertising medium.

BERTON BRALEY'S DAILY POEM

A MATTER OF ETIQUETTE

When first they met each other he was four and she was three,
And they hadn't read the Book of Etiquette;
He was very, very friendly, but no friendlier than she,
And they hadn't read the Book of Etiquette.
So without an introduction they made friends, as children will,
And they went to school together through their childhood days, until
They both started off to college—they were quite grown up, but still
They hadn't read the Book of Etiquette.

He took her out to dances and he took her out to plays,
And they hadn't read the Book of Etiquette;
They were married to each other in their graduation days,
And they hadn't read the Book of Etiquette.
She was quite a dainty housewife and a mighty clever cook,
And they had six lovely children in their snug suburban nook;
Then one day she got a copy of a justly famous book,
'Twas a copy of the Book of Etiquette.

Now the wife is out in Reno, she has left her little roost,
For at last she's read the Book of Etiquette;
She's been living with a husband who was never introduced,
Which was frowned on by the Book of Etiquette.
When the tie that binds is severed, she'll undoubtedly essay
To re-meet her former husband in a mete and proper way,
And they'll then proceed to courtship and a second wedding day,
All according to the Book of Etiquette.

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CORK ELECTS ANOTHER REPUBLICAN MAYOR

CORK, Jan. 31.—"Rebel Cork" has elected another republican mayor to succeed Lord Mayor Donald O'Callaghan, who recently resigned. The new municipal executive is John French not long ago released from prison. French received 23 of the city council's votes against 22 polled by Councillor Egan, a supporter of the Irish Free State.

R. R. DOUBLES DETECTIVE FORCE

ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 31.—An order issued from offices of the Delaware and Hudson railroad here, directs that the detective force be doubled on all Delaware and Hudson trains leaving Montreal. Broken windows and seats and general damage to cars has been caused by intoxicated persons leaving the Canadian city, the order said, and it is desired to protect the company's property from further destruction. The order was said to apply particularly to the southbound "sleeper."

Final Clearance Sale

This final sale climax is a most sensational value-giving event of paramount importance to you with its immense money-saving opportunities. To miss this sale is a lost bargain opportunity that can never be recalled.

Come Early!—See These Sensational Sale Offerings—Save

Coats, Suits, Silk Dresses, Cloth Dresses, Jackets, Skirts $10 Values to $30.00

$97.50 Plain and Fur Trimmed Coats for $59.50
$79.50 Plain Coats only $47.50
$50.00 Fur Trimmed Sport Coats (3 only) for $25
$8.00 Sport Skirts $4.75

All Silk and Cloth Dresses at tremendous reductions for this final clearance sale.

Fur Coats and Fur Scarfs reduced to cost price for a quick clearance.

NOTE—Owing to the tremendous reductions we will be obliged to make a small charge for alterations. All sales are final. No exchanges During this sale.

Nevery's Fashion Shop
55 CENTRAL STREET
3rd floor Central Block
Over Nelsons 5 and 10c Store — Take elevator to save money

AIR-TIGHT
Well Galvanized
OIL CANS

Petit Oil Cans have strong, well made back handles and are the most popular lamp fillers made.

1 Gal. Can ...40c 2 Gal. Can ...57c
5 Gal. Diamond Faucet Can.....$1.80

"Home Rule" Family Oil Can is a carefully tested pump can with air chamber. 5 Gal. size.....$2.35

SEE OUR WINDOWS

Free City Delivery

C. B. COBURN CO.
63 MARKET ST.

CURRENT EVENTS LECTURES

Mrs. Claude H. Gilson will give a course of six talks on current events on Tuesday mornings, beginning February 12 and continuing through March 18 at 10.15 in Middlesex Hall. Tickets are $3.50 for the course and can be secured from Mrs. Royden Pillsbury, 267 Nesmith street. Telephone 653-W. The lectures are given for the benefit of the Lowell Guild.

VALVES—Hoffmans, Airid, Russell, Globe, Gate, Radiator, etc.

Pipe Covering and Cement

SINKS—White Enameled, Roll Rim, Flat Rim, Plain.

CLOSET SEATS—White, Light Oak, Dark Oak, Cherry and Mahogany.

PLUMBING and HEATING SUPPLIES

Welch Bros. Co.

73 Middle St., Lowell, Mass.

ACCEPTS CALL TO FIRST UNIVERSALIST CHURCH

Rev. Harold W. Haynes of Beverly today accepted a call to the pastorate of the First Universalist church of Lowell and will come to the city about March 1st. At present he is pastor of the First Universalist church of the North Shore city and is known as a forceful leader and a man of splendid organization ability.

The board of assessors of the local church first made overtures to Rev. Mr. Haynes about a month ago and a call was definitely sent to him three weeks ago, but his acceptance was not received until today.

HAMILTON CO. PASSES DIVIDEND

Optimism still reigns on Jackson street, though dividends are nil.

Hamilton Manufacturing company has omitted its regular dividend due to be declared at this time. The Lowell textile corporation has been paying one per cent. quarterly.

The pausing of the January payment, hitherto made regularly to large numbers of stockholders residing in many sections of New England, will cause no surprise. For months past the Jackson street textile mills have been operating under most unfavorable conditions, with running schedules limited to three days.

Hopeful though the directors of the venerable Lowell industrial concern are that present conditions will soon change for the better, it was decided to withhold dividend payments for the time being.

The following notice has been issued to all stockholders this week:

"Owing to the present disturbed and unfavorable conditions of the markets, both for our raw materials and for our products (which conditions, it is hoped, are mending), the directors of the Hamilton Manufacturing company have thought it the proper conservative course to defer action on the dividend."

There is $3,600,000 of Hamilton stock outstanding.

Small lot sales of Hamilton securities have sold earlier in the winter as high as 50 and 52. Today the stock is quoted on the Boston unlisted securities market as "46 bid, 48 asked." A few sales were reported on the mill stock brokers' boards Monday at an average of 45.

EVANGELISTS BANQUETED

Members of the Demarest Evangelical party were banquoted last night at the Central Baptist church by the Willing Workers' class of the church. About 50 guests were present at the banquet. Several members of the Demarest party, including Mrs. Demarest, addressed the gathering and told of the intimate details connected with their work.

The New Freely-Lathering
Cuticura Shaving Stick
For Tender Faces
EMOLLIENT MEDICINAL ANTISEPTIC

Mothers know a dose of DR. CALDWELL'S **SYRUP PEPSIN** *Will keep them fit*

'First Aid' For Sick Children

THE experienced mother is not alarmed when a child becomes sick. She knows that most of the ailments of childhood are trifling. If it seems serious she calls a doctor, but whether or not she calls him she gives, first of all, a good laxative medicine. The doctor would advise that anyway. It is his "first aid." Such experienced mothers as Mrs. Everett E. Hunt of Belzoni, Okla., who has three children and never any sickness, and Mrs. F. B. Kuklenski of Prosser, Wash., always give Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin at the first indication of sickness. Such timely doses have saved them much worry.

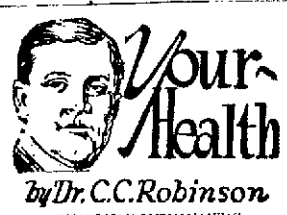
The Meaning of "Good"

All doctors agree that a thorough cleaning out of the bowels is of first importance for it removes dangerous intestinal poisons. They will also advise a "good laxative," and by "good" they mean one that is effective and yet harmless. They know that there are physics that never should be given to children - calomel, which is mercury and loosens the teeth; phenolphthalein, a coal-tar drug that causes skin trouble; salts, which concentrate the blood and dry up the saliva. They consider Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin safe for all ages as they know it is a simple vegetable compound of Egyptian senna with pepsin and agreeable aromatics. The formula is on the package.

Give Laxative for Colds

Adults should have at least one movement of the bowels every 24 hours, and children two or three. Failure to have it means constipation, then headache, biliousness, drowsiness, lack of appetite. Give a dose of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin at bedtime, and there will be health and good feeling by morning. A dose costs less than a cent, and a bottle can be had at any drug store. Colds and constipation come together, so if you notice coughing or sneezing stop it at once with Syrup Pepsin.

If You Want to Try It Free Before Buying
"Syrup Pepsin," 517 Washington St., Monticello, Illinois.
I need a good laxative and would like to prove what you say about Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin by actual test. Send me a free trial bottle. Address to
Name.....
Address.....
Not more than one free trial bottle to a family



Your Health
by Dr. C. C. Robinson

CHRONIC NEPHRITIS

Chronic nephritis is a disease of the kidneys when the process is in the stage of sclerosis, atrophy and contraction, whatever may have been the primal cause.

Two important reasons for the prevalence of chronic nephritis (Bright's disease) which takes a death toll of about 70,000 each year in the United States, are:

First, the disease is caused from some bacterial infection from an earlier attack of some disease.

Second, it is due in many cases to a high use of protein foods (meats) and animal products. Arterio sclerosis, or hardening of the smaller arteries and general contraction of the kidneys, is another cause.

When infection is clear the cause the primal agents were mainly tonsilitis and scarlet fever. Even though the attack may be light, the most careful and skilful treatment is necessary to ward off any future attacks on the kidneys from the poison of these destroyers.

Abuse of protein requirements in probably 75 per cent. of people in the temperate latitudes is a strong cause of indictment against chronic nephritis. Europeans and people of the United States and Canada consume far larger amounts of protein in the form of meat or animal food, than do the races of tropical countries. Tropical people are far more temperate in their eating, and rarely, if ever, suffer death from chronic nephritis.

The common habit of over-eating throws far too much work on the kidneys, and excessive work of this sort weakens any organs or glands to the danger point of disease and trophied condition. The sensible diet is a strong weapon with which to fight off chronic nephritis. Vary your diet with vegetables and fruits and vegetable oils whenever possible. They act as a strong counter-balance to the protein foods.

Do not on any account, if you believe yourself afflicted with chronic nephritis, dose yourself with some medicine that claims to be a kidney cure. Such treatment is usually of no value and often causes real harm to the over-worked kidneys.

TURKEY SUPPER BY LADIES' AID SOCIETY

A turkey supper prepared by the Ladies' Aid society of the Matthews Memorial church was served at the first annual banquet of the Dorcas class held in the social hall of the church last night. The following program of entertainment was given at the conclusion of the banquet:

Hymn, by all; prayer, Rev. J. T. Ullom; piano solo, J. Edward Leith; selection, male quartet, John Pooler, N. W. Matthews, Jr., Fred Potter and Richard W. Potter; violin solo, Graham Pascall; remarks, Rev. John T. Ullom; solo, N. W. Matthews, Jr.; cornet solo, Robert F. Smith; solo, selected, John Pooler; remarks, R. C. Campbell; solo, selected, Arthur Hiley; closing hymn, "Blest Be the Tie That Binds," assembly. The accompanist was J. Edward Leith.

Mrs. N. W. Matthews is the class teacher and the officers are as follows: Miss Isabel Caddell, president; Mrs. Clement Haines, vice president; Mrs. Robert Smith, secretary; Mrs. N. W. Matthews, treasurer.

MIDDLESEX NORTH MEDICAL SOCIETY

The quarterly meeting of the Middlesex-North Medical society was held at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon at St. John's hospital and was attended by about 75 physicians. Dr. James B. O'Connor presided.

"The Heart in Hypertension," was the subject discussed by the speaker of the evening, Dr. James P. O'Hare of the Peter Brent Brigham hospital of Boston.

The question of the recent practice of medicine by persons in various localities who lacked the proper authority to do so was discussed at length and at the close President O'Connor appointed the following committee to investigate unauthorized practice of medicine: Dr. T. A. Stamas, Dr. J. A. Meehan, Dr. G. F. Martin, Dr. W. P. Jackson, Dr. M. L. Alling and Dr. J. B. O'Connor, ex-officio.

At the close of the session the members sat down to a bountiful dinner served by the Lydon Catering Co.

MEN ARRESTED HERE HELD IN $500 EACH

Joseph C. Ross and Maurice Gagnon were arraigned in Lawrence district court yesterday for larceny of an auto and were held in $500 each for the May session in Newburyport of the Essex county superior court. The two were arrested in Lowell last Monday through the vigilance and attention to duty of Policeman Owen S. Conway.

The arrest was made after a spectacular chase through Belvidere streets. At the time they were riding in a car stolen from a Haverhill resident the Saturday previous. Officers Conway and Dan Lynch appeared in Lawrence yesterday as witnesses for the state.

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Nuxated Iron, recommended above by Dr. Emil Sauer, may be had at any good drug store. Try taking two tablets three times a day for two weeks, and if you do not feel years younger with new strength, energy and health, your own druggist will gladly refund your money.

The Automobile Show

Continued

ness man when it comes down to life's preferred vocation.

Mr. Fuller is always delighted to come to Lowell, particularly when his errand of official duty has a colorful aspect with motor cars in the background. The Lowell automobile dealer's distinguished guest this evening is jolly well at home in a setting in which automobiles predominate. Plans for the gubernatorial reception were completed yesterday afternoon.

Continuous Attendance

Yesterday's attendance at the auto show was not a record-breaker, but there was a continuous novelty performance shown by the method of "taking in the show." The Auditorium doors were thrown open before 10 a. m. and automobile fans of both sexes came along regularly up to the noon hour.

The luncheon booths, spic and span, with pretty feminine trimmings, alert to wait upon all customers and serve dainty viands and warm drinks were better patronized than they were on Tuesday. In the afternoon, the visitors came along more steadily, without crowding at all, but making a continuous procession from parked cars to the Auditorium main entrance and within.

The middle afternoon brought more suburbanites--for this was really "Suburban Day"--and the evening hours up to "lights out" found the automobile show parade lines alive with humanity. Hundreds of visitors, enjoying the orchestral concert and the hum of voices of men and women that had a vitalizing quality to it in marked measure, retired to the balcony and sat down to survey to better advantage, perhaps, the beautiful motor car spectacle on the floor below. For one of the best views of the 1924 automobile show can be had from the balcony.

Novelties in improved motor car accessories exhibited in the "up stairs circle," one flight up, are attracting even as much attention as the shiny new vehicles on the Auditorium floor. There are booths filled with new parts and improved attachments that readily catch the eye. The list ranges from new manifolds and headlights, to timers and batteries made in Lowell; tires galore, shiny electrical devices for speedy lighting car interiors, special curtains, special trunk carriers, adjustable extra seats and a host of other new idea allurements.

Automobile experts from various parts of the country are visiting the Lowell show this year, taking more interest in the local dealers' exposition of everything new in motor cars than ever before.

One-third more visitors to the show this year in three first days, than were chronicled over at the Kasino in the first three days last season.

Excellent Policing

Busy is the word with the squad of Lowell policemen in dress uniforms, who are performing assigned duties in Auditorium and main entrance corridors in regulation style. The big chief's selections for police duty at the auto show this week, were excellent. Here's the squad, Patrolmen Frank O'Day, "Gib" Sheridan, "Buddy" Hession and Frank Murphy.

An attractive show corner is the spot where a Hupmobile five-passenger sedan is displayed, bearing a prominent label:—"To be given away by Lowell council, K. of C., at the Auditorium, Feb. 13, 1924."

Tomorrow will be "Chamber of Commerce Day."

My, But Coke Orders Are Coming In

The advertising we are doing telling the story of Lowell Coke is bringing the real Coke message home to the people of Lowell in a manner that is keeping our delivery system rushed with orders.

The fact that we are giving sixty bushels to the ton is causing the thrifty housewife to figure her fuel bills more closely. The more she figures, the more Lowell Coke we sell and then again the fact that

Look for Yellow Wagons and Trucks Delivering Lowell Coke

Lowell Coke

has very little ash none to sift and a high heat value, as well as being very light to handle, makes it the popular home fuel.

Those who have burned Lowell Coke this winter in the place of other solid fuels, have made a very material saving in their home expenditures.

We have experts who will go to your home to show you just how Lowell Coke should be burned.

'Phone 6790 for a Demonstration.

Lowell Gas Light Company

Victory For Lowell High Basketball Team — Fruzzetti and Norton Ready for Bout

LOWELL HIGH BEATS TOWNSEND

Capt. O'Sullivan Leads Local Quintet to 24 to 13 Victory in Annex

Spectacular Shot by Yafa—Visiting Player Wore Spectacles During Game

The Lowell high school basketball team easily defeated Townsend high last night in the annex. The score was 24 to 13. The game was never in danger, Lowell taking the lead in the first period and retaining it throughout the game.

During the greater part of the game the ball was kept in the Townsend territory but many of the chances for baskets were missed by the local boys through inability to drop the sphere through the net from short distances. The passing and long range shooting displayed by Coach Liston's charges was of the best, however. Townsend's opportunities for baskets were limited as the local defense men were in good form.

Many substitutes were sent in by Lowell to gain experience in an actual contest, one of whom, Yafa, made the prettiest shot of the evening from half way up the side of the floor. Capt. O'Sullivan gave a good exhibition of passing ability, and displayed several flashes of spectacular individual play. Peter Georges secured the high number of baskets with 4 to his credit. Brown and Harvey starred for the visiting team, the latter securing three baskets from the floor and two from the foul line. Harvey wore a mask to protect his spectacles. He is one of the few bespectacled athletes to play basketball.

The score by periods:

1st—Lowell 5, Townsend 3.
2nd—Lowell 12, Townsend 5.
3rd—Lowell 18, Townsend 11.
4th—Lowell 24, Townsend 13.

The lineups and summary:

LOWELL HIGH TOWNSEND HIGH
O'Sullivan, Carpenter, Simmons, rf
Georges, lf........rg, Hayward, Drake lg, Gray
Flaherty, Louris, Dion, c....c, Jodfrey
Sutherland, Sullivan, rg.....lf, Brown
Welch, Cohen, Abodeely, Yafa, lg rf, Harvey

Score: Lowell 24, Townsend 13; baskets, Georges 4, Harvey 3, O'Sullivan 2, Brown 2, Louris, Yafa, Carpenter, Cohen, Welch; on fouls, Harvey, Gray, Jodfrey, Cohen, Welch. Referee, Tower. Time, four 8-minute periods.

GUNBOAT JACK TO BOX BILLY WOODS

LAWRENCE, Jan. 31.—Gunboat Jack, the well known K. O. battler of this city, with 18 knockouts to his credit this season, will meet Billy Woods in the main bout of the Manchester, N. H. club on February 8. On the 15th he will fight George Drew of Worcester in a main event at Nashua, N. H.

The "gunboat" is now under the management of William Conley of Lawrence, who also has Ray Rancourt, Battling McBride and Battling Tardiff, 140 pound amateur champ. under his wing.

Manager Conley says Matchmaker Woods of Manchester tried to get Phinney Boyle, Martin Flaherty Jr., Johnny Avila, Porky Diggins, Joe St. Hilaire and Sailor Byron, the New England lightweight champion to meet Gunboat but all turned down the opportunity. Hence he was forced to get Woods, who will have a big weight advantage on the Lawrence boy.

ST. ANNE'S TO MEET STRONG TEAM TONIGHT

Despite their loss of Tuesday evening's game in Lawrence, the St. Anne's are not discouraged and will take the floor against the American Glue team tonight confident of annexing their 14th win. Until the recent Lawrence defeat, the St. Anne's had won 13 straight games and were going at full speed. Kelley returned to the fold in the last half of the Lawrence game and showed that he had lost none of the old-time pep that made a favorite on the court two years ago. He will probably get into tonight's game.

The entire team is anxious to get the jump on the visiting aggregation tonight. All the players are in good condition and ready to answer the whistle which will announce the beginning of play at 8 o'clock sharp.

HIGHLAND QUINTET TO PLAY IN HAVERHILL

With the championship practically tucked away, the Highland quintet will play its final game in the Merrimack Valley league against the Haverhill "Y" in the down-river city next Saturday night. As the locals have previously defeated the Haverhill outfit, a repeat is looked for on the occasion of the next meeting.

The local boys will exert every energy in the Haverhill tilt to bring their total score up to 1000 points for 30 games. In the 29 games played to date, the Highlands have annexed 950 points, a record in itself. Since organizing, the Highlands have won 21 games, lost 7 and tied one.

SPALLA AT BUENOS AIRES

BUENOS AIRES, Jan. 31. Erminio Spalla, Italian heavyweight, arrived fro mEurope today aboard the steamer Pinelo, appearing to be in good from Europe today aboard the steamwinner of the Firpo-Lodge fight.

Spalla said he weighed 193 pounds. He has no doubt that Firpo will beat Lodge and that he in turn will defeat the South American champion.

MOODY CLUB
CRESCENT RINK TONIGHT
10 Rounds
Jimmy Fruzetti, Brockton, vs. Tansey Norton, Roxbury
8 Rounds
Jimmy Reed, Brockton, vs. Barney Ryder, Nashua

BASKETBALL
Lowell Textile vs. St. John's, N. Y.
TEXTILE GYM.
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U. S. HOCKEY TEAM WINS

Defeats England and Clinches First Place in Its End of Draw for Semi-Finals

Yanks Had Little Difficulty in Shutting Out Britishers —Meet Swedes Tomorrow

CHAMONIX, France, Jan. 31.—(By the Associated Press) The American Olympic hockey team, playing under wraps after the first period, defeated England today 11 to 0, clinching first place in its end of the draw and reaching the semi-finals. The Yanks tomorrow play the second team in the upper half, probably Sweden.

The teams lined up as follows:

UNITED STATES GREAT BRITAIN
LaCroix, g .... g, Harris
Abel, ld .... ld, Pitblado
Small, rd .... rd, Holmes
Drury, c .... c, C. Carruthers
Rice, lw .... lw, E. Carruthers
McCarthy, rw .... rw, Sexton

The Americans opened with a rush, Drury scoring from a pass from Rice, 50 seconds after the period began. The British attack opened against Small at right defense, but he hooked the puck and took it down the ice from in front of his own goal, scoring unaided.

England then moved Pitblado and Holmes into the forward line bringing back E. Carruthers and Sexton. This so stiffened the Britishers' defense that it was only after five minutes of play that Rice, in combination with Drury was able to cage the third goal.

He repeated again a minute later on a longshot from 70 yards off, Drury then scored from a mixup in front of the British goal. Abel ended the tallying, for the period with a brilliant rush straight down the ice, Frank Sinnott, of Boston replaced McCarthy at right wing two minutes before the whistle.

"Precious" Curling Stone

A Scotch member of the English curling team on his way to Chamonix from Davos, Switzerland, was halted at the Swiss frontier by French customs employes who were puzzled by his curling stone.

The French men first consulted the dictionary. Then the official in charge insisted upon charging the Scot a tariff on the ground that he was bringing "a precious stone" into the country. The athletic's explanation, delivered in voluble brogue, only thickened the difficulties.

Finally the station master was appealed to and upon his recommendation the stone was admitted free.

"The Frenchmen had the correct classification at that," the Scot volunteered at the conclusion of the Franco-British match which he was instrumental in winning. Tapping his implement fondly, he added:

"'Tis a precious stone. Indeed, there's none so precious to me.'"

BRITISH SPRINT CHAMP COMING TO AMERICA

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 31.—Eric Liddell of Edinboro University, British 100 and 220-yard sprint champion, will accompany the Cambridge University relay team to this country in April and will compete in the sprint events at the Pennsylvania relay carnival on Franklin field. Word to this effect was received today by Dr. George W. R. Orton, manager of the carnival.

The Scottish sprinter, who set up new British records of 9 7-10 seconds and 21 3-5 seconds, respectively, in winning the 100 and 220 yard titles, will find stiff competition in America in both events. Among the prospective entries are Clarke, of John Hopkins; Bowman of Syracuse; Comins and Rusnak, Yale; Fisher, Kansas; Irwin, Kansas Agricultural, and Anderson, of the University of Southern California. Most of these men have done the 100 yards in 9 4-5 and are also fast at the furlong distance.

A 220 yard race will be added to the carnival program for Liddell's benefit. SPORTS B

BUD TAYLOR TO MEET PANCHO VILLA

CHICAGO, Jan. 31.—Bud Taylor of Terre Haute, Ind., and Pancho Villa, world's flyweight champion will meet in New York about March 1, according to Eddie Long, manager of the Hoosier boxer. Long says he has been asked by Villa's manager not to close any match after February 18, when Taylor meets Sammy Nable at Indianapolis, and the date for the Villa contest will be settled in a few days.

BATTLING SIKI TO MEET JOE JOHNSON

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Jan. 31.—Battling Siki will meet Joe Lohman in a ten round light heavyweight bout tonight. The contest was originally scheduled for Grand Rapids, Mich., but was transferred when authorities refused to sanction a fight between a negro and a white man.

At the final workouts yesterday, both men impressed observers, but local experts appear to favor Lohman.

YANKS TO HOLD GEHRIG

NEW YORK, Jan. 31. Five American League clubs recently refused to give waivers on Lou Gehrig, the Columbia University recruit, when the New York Yankees for the second time sought permission to farm him out for seasoning. Manager Huggins virtually has decided to keep the youngster as a utility infielder, and pinch hitter.

STRIBLING TO BOX SHADE

MACON, Ga., Jan. 31.—Young Stribling, Macon lightweight, has been signed to box Dave Shade in Newark, N. J., March 3, "Pa" Stribling, father-manager, announced last night. "Pa" said Mike McTigue light heavyweight champion, had refused to sign a contract to meet the youth again.

Jack Johnson to Box

MONTREAL, Jan. 31.—Jack Johnson, former world's heavyweight boxing champion, has passed a rigid physical examination and will be permitted to meet Homer Smith, of Kalamazoo, Mich., here, February 19, it was announced today.

Football Captains Face Difficult Task for the Coming Season

LEFT TO RIGHT: HENDERSON, CORNELL; LOVEJOY, YALE; STEGER, MICHIGAN, LOWER, HARRELL, CALIFORNIA; ROKUSEK, ILLINOIS.

By BILLY EVANS

A big task confronts five star football players recently elected captains of varsity teams for 1924.

They are Henderson of Cornell, Rokusek of Illinois, Lovejoy of Yale, Harrell of California and Steger of Michigan.

In order to equal the records made by these elevens in 1923 the honored leaders must pilot their elevens through an undefeated season. That is some feat in modern football with the open play making the final result so very uncertain.

Only five so-called major elevens went through last season undefeated on the gridiron. Several of the really great teams were the victims of 11th-hour reverses, such as the defeat of Notre Dame by Nebraska and Syracuse by Colgate.

Captain Lovejoy of Yale suffers a severe handicap in the loss of Quarterback Richeson. Considered by many of the experts the best Yale quarterback since the days of Tad Jones, Richeson has played his final game for Yale. He will be missed.

Yale Has Good Prospects

While attending the Yale-Princeton game at New Haven I also had a chance to see the Yale freshmen play Harvard. The Crimson first year team was overwhelmed by a score of better than 50. Previously the Yale team had defeated the Princeton freshmen decisively.

This would make it seem that Yale has much better men to draw on than Princeton and Harvard and should retain its gridiron supremacy over these And after all, that is what Yale seeks.

Captain Rokusek at Illinois has his work cut out. Halfback Grange was the individual star in the success of Illinois last year. His work was the deciding margin in every victory scored by Zuppke's great team. Will Grange be as good in his second year of Western Conference football? Certainly no one could ask that he be any better. Grange is a marked player next year.

The reserve strength that Michigan uncovered in the backfield last season when injuries forced out a number of stars makes it seem that Coach Yost will be able to turn out another winner despite the loss of some of his best players through graduation.

Smith a Great Coach

For years Coach Andy Smith has had the habit of turning out undefeated teams at California. However, reverses come to the greatest of coaches and captains. Since every coach eleven is pointing to the California game, such a surprise as the defeat of California can be expected.

Last, but not least, is Captain Henderson of Cornell. He succeeds one of the greatest leaders in the history of football, George Pfann. However, Coach Dobie has a habit of turning out winners, which should materially lighten Henderson's task.

WILL YOUNG LOTT BE NEXT WONDER?

CHICAGO, Jan. 30.—Who will be the next boy wonder in tennis? Vincent Richards, though still youthful, has passed on beyond the boy-wonder stage and the setting is all arranged for the appearance of another phenom.

At present, the most formidable junior player in the country appears to be George Lott of Chicago, who won both the clay and turf court national junior title last summer.

Lott has a wide assortment of strokes, superb physical qualifications and a splendid competitive temperament.

The young Chicagoan stands at No. 1 position in the national junior ranking.

MELLO AFTER TITLE

Seeks Amateur Welterweight Championship—Fights in Boston Tonight

Al Mello of Lowell with a record of 32 victories out of 41 bouts, is regarded as a strong contender for the amateur welterweight championship.

Mello, who is under the management of the aggressive and popular John Souza, is now sought by all amateur boxing promoters and a movement is underway to make him a member of the United States Olympic team.

He will appear in the feature number of the East Boston amateur show this evening, his opponent to be either Joe Minehan or "Bunchy" Beals.

Since entering the boxing game Mello has created a sensation. He started out at the amateur shows run two years ago at the Mass. mills, and his remarkable string of victories soon brought him recognition from all parts of New England.

He points to 21 knockout victories, 11 wins by the decision route and nine reverses, all via decisions. He has never been knocked out and even in the bouts scored against him several of the awards were questionable.

Mello's success in the recent Tri-City tournament in Boston when he defeated Otto Polmega of Philadelphia and Dan Haggerty of Pittsburgh, both in slashing battles, stamped him as a title contender.

What part does coaching play in the success of a football team? This point is raised as a result of the game played on New Year Day between the Navy and the University of Washington. Prior to the game coast experts insisted that Washington was two touchdowns stronger than the Navy. The game resulted in a 14 to 14 tie. Only a very lucky break in the final minutes of play enabled Washington to stave off what seemed certain defeat. In the west, Washington was accorded second place in the college ratings, California carrying off first honors. In the east, a dozen teams had a higher ranking than the Navy.

The difference in coaching, according to the western football experts, accounted for the failure of Washington to win from the Navy by a decisive score. The strategy of Coach Bob Folwell of the Navy was highly praised.

Does the east and middle west have a decided advantage in coaching methods? The great success that Andy Smith, former University of Pennsylvania star, has had at California makes it seem so. Elmer Henderson, who starred at Oberlin, has been highly successful at University of Southern California. Next fall Glenn Warner, famous eastern mentor, will take up his duties at Stanford. For two years the Warner system has been drilled into Stanford candidates by Andy Kerr, who tutored under Warner.

Now comes University of Oregon with an offer to Coach Hugo Bezdek of Penn State to return to the institution where he first gained fame. Apparently Oregon doesn't intend to take a back seat in football.

Oregon stands ready to pay Bezdek a salary well in advance of the amount that he is receiving at Penn State. All that is necessary to put over the deal is Bezdek's acceptance. Oregon is willing to wait a couple of years if he is tied up to a contract at Penn State that cannot be broken by mutual agreement. Apparently Oregon has no intention of permitting California with Andy Smith and Stanford with Glenn Warner to hog the spotlight.

It is a rather interesting fact that Bezdek began his coaching career at Oregon in 1906. He had starred as a player under Stagg at Chicago and went west to make a name as a football coach.

Bezdek's first year at Oregon, 1906, was filled with unusual tough luck that often besets a coach in his initial year. At its close he decided he wasn't quite ready and returned to Chicago, where for a number of years he acted as assistant to Stagg and helped turn out many winning combinations. Bezdek again returned to Oregon in 1913. It was a different Bezdek. He had profited by his training under Stagg. He met with immediate success. He stayed until 1917. During that time he developed what coast experts consider the greatest of all Pacific elevens, the Oregon team of 1916.

Those who believe in signs will dope it out that Bezdek is sure to return to Oregon. He first came to Oregon in 1906, departed at the close of the year and returned seven years later in 1913. Remaining four years he retired in 1917. Seven years have since elapsed, now Oregon is again asking him to return. If he accepts plenty of work is ahead for Andy Smith and Glenn Warner.

JAWSON EXPECTED TO GIVE MURPHY BATTLE

LYNN, Jan. 31.—Billy Murphy, Lowell's sensational lightweight has a man's size job on his hands next Monday night when he faces Joe Jawson of Milwaukee in the feature bout at the Casino A. C. of this city.

Murphy has been winning regularly and has bowled over all opposition that he has been called upon to face, but in Jawson he will meet a boy who enjoys a national reputation and who is regarded as one of the best of his weight in the country.

Jawson has swapped punches with Johnny Mendeldohn, Pinky and Ritchie Mitchell, Sailor Friedman and several other top liners.

While making Boston his headquarters about two years ago he defeated Johnny Downs and Pepper Martin in two of the most sensational contests ever seen in Boston rings.

Murphy has done most of his fighting in his home city and while Lowell fans know that he has the goods, the fans from other parts of New England must be shown. A win over Jawson will put him at the top of the heap and his services will be in demand at Boston clubs. Lowell fans are with Murphy to a man as they feel that any boy who can win over such boys as Young Manty, Al Shubert, Bud Dempsey, Newport Johnny Brown, Jimmy Fruzetti and other boys of that calibre is entitled to go against the best in the country.

MISS COLLETT AND MRS. HARD CLASH

BELLEAIR, Fla., Jan. 31.—Miss Glenna Collett of Providence, R. I., and Mrs. Dorothy Campbell Hurd of the Merion Cricket club, each former national champion, meet here today in the final round of the woman's annual January golf tournament. Miss Collett yesterday defeated Mrs. G. S. Stetson of Huntingdon valley, 6 and 5, while Mrs. Hurd was successful over Mrs. George E. Morse of Rutland, Vt., by four and three.

Mrs. Hurd was around in 79, playing a steady, careful game. Miss Collett did not play brilliant golf, being slightly wild from the tee and her short game uncertain in spots.

DID MR. QUINN PUT ONE OVER?

BOSTON, Jan. 30.—Ever hear of a baseball magnate involved in a big deal falling to admit to the world that he got the best of the transaction?

Bob Quinn, president of the Boston Red Sox, denies that he got the better of E. S. Barnard, president of the Cleveland Indians, in the recent player exchange between these two clubs.

"I wasn't out to swindle Barnard and he wasn't out to swindle me," Quinn stated, "and as a result we put over a deal that was mutually advantageous to us both."

Boston traded George Burns, Chick Fewster and Al Walters for Bill Wambsganss, Steve O'Neill, Dan Boone and Joe Connolly.

BOXING BOUTS TONIGHT

Norton and Fruzetti in Return Engagement — New Officials Assigned

With a new set of officials on hand and Tansey Norton and Jimmy Fruzetti, both reported in fine fettle, local fans look for a humdinger of a battle in the main event of the Moody club card at the Crescent rink tonight.

A big delegation is coming up from Roxbury to root for Norton while Fruzetti will have a number of fans from his home town, Brockton, on hand to cheer him on to victory. As both have appeared here and consequently count a number of local admirers neither will lack enthusiastic supporters.

Norton has appeared here a number of times, meeting Willie Gradwell, Phinney Boyle, Jimmy Fruzetti, Johnny Avila and Martin Flaherty, Jr., within the toe! hemp. While he didn't win all his bouts he gave a good account of himself in every battle and his earnest endeavors brought him into favor with many fans.

Fruzetti has appeared here twice. He lost to Billy Murphy in a bout that was a hummer. He then met Norton two weeks ago tonight. He put up a whirlwind battle and while the officials ruled against him a great many at the ringside felt he was entitled to the award.

As a result of the other bout, Norton and Fruzetti have become bitter rivals and both will enter tonight's battle determined to win by the kayo route.

Owing to the fact that Leo Desrosiers is ill a substitution is necessary in the semi final. In place of Desrosiers, Barney Ryder of Milwaukee, a sparring partner of Joe Jawson who is to meet Billy Murphy in Lynn Monday night, will appear against Jimmy Reed of Brockton.

"BABE" RUTH VISITS LOCAL SOCIETIES

Following his address at the annual banquet of the alumni of St. Patrick's school, "Babe" Ruth visited the Knights of Columbus, the Elks and the Y. M. C. I. At the Knights of Columbus clubhouse a crowd of about 1200 had gathered to meet their famous brother member and he gave a short talk during the course of which he told how Bro. Herman of St. Patrick's school had had a great deal to do with his early life, even giving him his start in baseball. Among those present was Michael J. McMahoney, the first Lowell man to become an umpire in the National league.

At the Elks and Y. M. C. I. he was informally greeted by the members and at both places gave a short address of appreciation for the welcome extended him.

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MERRIMACK MFG. CO. LEAGUE

	Won	Lost	Pinfall
Shop	36	20	19,768
Office	36	20	19,602
Twisters	35	21	19,522
Corduroy	33	23	19,707
Yard	31	25	19,241
Velvet	26	30	19,056
Khaki	20	36	18,971
Weave	7	49	18,345

Games Friday Night

Twisters vs. Khaki.
Weave vs. Yard.
Shop vs. Office.
Corduroy vs. Velvet.

High team total: Shop, 1534; Khaki, 1494.

High team single: Shop, 540; Shop, 536.

High individual three; Thursby, 319; P. Dhondt, 342.

High individual single: Sheridan, 139; Benoit, 132.

Averages

Lane 100.31, Galvin 99.9, Rainville 98.8, P. Dhondt 98.6, Lyness 97.26, Sanborn 97.18, Panton 97.2, Sheridan 96.28, McArdle 96.19, Benoit 96.10, Leboul 96.16, Thursby 96.8, Jolly 96.7, Maguire 95.15, Thurston 95.9, Moran 95.02, A. Dhondt 94.21, Hefron 93.10, Fortier 93.4, Smith 93.3, Burns 92.31, Eyres 92.31, Collins 92.26, Fullerton 92.19, Daigle 92.16, Garneau 92.9, Rohan 91.32, Waring 91.13, Burnham 91.9, Lowe 91.5, LaFortune 91.3, Burrows 90.27, Morris 90.17, St. John 90.15, Baldwin 90.6, Cregan 90.2, Millman 89.12, Prudhomme 89.12, Webb 89.7, Moss 89.4, Barrett 89, Allison 88.28, Robertson 88.22, Capper 87.31, Heald 87.23, Holt 87.22, Greenhalgh 86.31, Roberts 86.11, Cote 82.24.

GAELIC CLUB LEAGUE STANDING

	Won	Lost	Pinfall
Team No. 3	30	14	13587
Team No. 4	30	14	13579
Team No. 2	14	30	12901
Team No. 1	14	30	12759

With two tied for first place and two for third interest is getting very keen in the Gaelic Club league. O'Dea still leads the pin topplers with Sheffield a close second.

Individual Averages

M. J. O'Dea 95.15, Sheffield 92.21, Lynch 90.12, Leahy 90.3, Barrett 88.13, Kittredge 88.3, Regan 86.5, Devereux 85.5, Ford, 84.1, Connors 83.12, Harvey 83.6, Shannon 82.13, Daly 82.5, John J. Leonard 81.1, Ryan 80.15, Murphy 79.9, Flemings 78.18, Jim Leonard 78.11, McGarrhan 76.10, Cunningham 73.21, Carney 72.

High individual, single string, Mike O'Dea 123, second individual, single string, Tom Sheffield 114; high individual, three strings, O'Dea 320; second high individual, three strings, Sheffield 307; high team total, No. 3, 1370; second high team total, No. 4, 1343.

GEMS WIN

GEMS

Beausoleil	86	93	95	274
Lemieux	86	101	79	266
Marcotte	86	83	100	269
Harvey	113	104	102	319
Desloge	97	100	178	375
Totals	465	481	554	1503

MOONLIGHTS

E. Lussier	91	95	75	261
A. Jolly	109	104	83	296
J. Cloutier	88	107	93	288
A. Page	90	103	97	290
A. Imbe	85	138	108	331
Totals	463	547	456	1466

Individual Averages

Barrett, A. Woolen	108
Robinson, Saco-Lowell	103
Houston, U. S. Bobbin	102
McQuaid, U. S. Bobbin	102
Gray, A. Woolen	102
Rosanin, Saco-Lowell	102
Lemke, Ipswich	101
Espinola, U. S. Bobbin	101
Hindle, Appleton	101
Thurber, Saco-Lowell	101
Panton, Merrimack	100
Jodoin, Saco-Lowell	100
Bozek, Ipswich	100
Campbell, Talbot	100
Fortier, Merrimack	100
Bridgeford, Silesia	99
Finley, Saco-Lowell	99
Perrin, Martin Susp.	99
Fiorella, Ipswich	99
Johnson, Silesia	99
McEnaney, Silesia	99
Rourke, A. H. & L.	99
McPherson, A. Woolen	98
Atkinson, A. Woolen	98
Lowe, A. H. & L.	98
Ryan, Silesia	97
McNulty, Talbot	97
Garner, Appleton	97
Boucher, Ipswich	97
Delehanty, Talbot	97
Lyness, Merrimack	96
McTeague, Talbot	96
Sanborn, Merrimack	96
Sheridan, Merrimack	96
Syvert, Silesia	96
Hall, Martin Susp.	95
Mullin, Talbot	96
Cox, A. H. & L.	95
Thurston, Merrimack	94
Trainor, A. H. & L.	92
Lock, U. S. Bobbin	92

YARD

Eldridge	87	105	95	287
Robarge	83	88	99	270
Riggs	99	100	77	276
Guiney	109	107	101	317
Brennan	96	97	111	304
Totals	474	497	483	1454

SPINNING

Zimmey	91	100	88	279
Cudworth	106	82	91	279
Heald	78	99	89	266
Perry	85	88	93	266
Harding	108	83	92	283
Totals	468	452	453	1373

ALL STARS

Michaud	86	86	93	265
Sloan	81	99	121	301
Beaupre	91	106	109	309
Hurst	85	93	77	255
McAleer	100	91	82	273
Totals	446	475	482	1403

CONLEY'S PETS

Moran	78	91	80	249
F. Conley	79	79	86	244
Nickerson	89	98	92	279
A. Conley	87	95	91	273
De Silva	86	80	103	269
Totals	419	443	452	1314

SILESIA LEAGUE

COMBING

A. Patenaude	83	118	85	286
S. Wadja	91	86	87	264
S. Kershaw	93	98	88	279
J. Johnson	92	129	78	299
A. McEnaney	87	114	96	297
Totals	446	545	434	1425

STOREHOUSE

H. Foster	82	75	94	251
C. Wilstead	103	82	96	281
R. Wetmore	94	90	74	258
B. Gilmore	99	87	93	279
M. Ryan	108	97	103	308
Totals	486	431	460	1377

WOOL SHOP

H. Moore	77	115	99	291
Greenhalge	82	70	78	230
Hoyle	86	99	96	281
Shurtleff	74	90	98	262
Smith	72	80	85	237
Totals	391	454	456	1301

SPINNING

G. Moore	83	101	78	262
Sub	74	80	78	232
Sub	72	70	85	227
McEnaney	78	78	91	247
Bridgford	102	101	114	317
Totals	409	430	446	1285

MACHINE SHOP

Jack Gilmore	87	79	85	251
W. Shaw	86	100	77	263
W. Miller	79	70	94	243
A. Whitehead	97	104	88	289
J. Dixon	92	103	81	276
Totals	441	456	425	1322

DRAWING

A. Rousseau	73	74	76	221
W. Rayball	94	91	70	255
R. Exley	77	76	76	229
F. Syvret	105	92	84	281
J. O'Connell	98	87	90	275
Totals	447	420	396	1262

KITTREDGE'S PETS

Dacey	75	90	98	263
Horan	113	90	111	314
Benoit	104	100	108	312
Foye	82	104	99	285
Smith	98	107	99	304
Totals	472	491	515	1478

PONIES

W. Mullarkey	85	105	106	295
J. Golden	84	101	94	279
L. Mullarkey	99	73	95	267
T. Nerney	80	85	99	264
D. Mullarkey	101	81	105	287
Totals	448	445	499	1392

MANUFACTURERS' LEAGUE

Am. Woolen	48	20	25,804	.706
Silesia	45	23	25,037	.662
Saco-Lowell	43	25	25,789	.632
Merrimack Co.	40	28	24,971	.588
U. S. Bobbin	38	30	25,474	.559
Ipswich Hosiery	34	34	24,393	.500
Talbot Mills	29	39	24,531	.427
Appleton Mills	23	45	24,359	.338
Martin Suspender	20	48	24,652	.294
Hide & Leather	20	48	24,164	.294

GAMES TONIGHT

Talbot Mills vs. U. S. Bobbin.
Silesia vs. Saco-Lowell.
American Woolen vs. Appleton Mills.
Martin Suspenders vs. Ipswich Hosiery.
Hide & Leather vs. Merrimack Co.

CHELMSFORD CENTRE LEAGUE

GIANTS

Cole	82	104	111	297
Marshall	96	82	95	273
Simard	87	106	93	286
Johnson	77	109	120	306
Bean	111	104	91	306
Totals	435	502	513	1468

REDS

Greenwood	85	91	106	282
Belleville	90	95	100	285
McElroy	92	85	86	263
Donovan	88	86	107	281
Desmarais	88	97	88	273
Totals	443	454	487	1384

CUBS

E. Sillard	86	108	118	312
H. Rose	83	76	83	242
C. Petrie	100	95	106	307
H. Johnson	82	95	94	271
E. Simard	86	108	118	312
Totals	451	463	509	1423

PIRATES

H. Sturtevant	87	92	95	274
R. Bliss	94	92	117	305
H. Paasche	82	80	83	245
F. DeKalb	92	84	74	250
H. Bunce	116	97	99	312
Totals	458	455	468	1386

MASS MILLS LEAGUE

WEAVE ROOM

Rostron	94	83	90	267
Foster	93	97	92	282
Pennell	86	100	84	270
Shields	81	86	96	263
Silva	104	89	106	299
Totals	458	455	468	1381

DYE HOUSE

Bettencourt	76	83	86	245
Higgs	73	94	77	244
Andrelli	78	98	93	269
Bickford	89	91	95	275
S. Williams	108	101	99	308
Totals	424	467	450	1341

DRESS

Desmarais	100	108	86	294
Swanson	93	93	112	298
Nadeau	84	94	103	281
Lebourdais	94	96	90	280
Totals	371	391	391	1153

SHOP

Lyons	102	84	101	287
Allen	86	81	92	259
Brown	96	89	102	281
Hannaford	87	85	90	272
Totals	371	349	385	1105

LITTLE BUT LOUD

Peter Reese, a diminutive messenger boy from London, is said to be one of the smallest pages in the world, but he has an important job. He delivered to President Coolidge a message of greeting from the lord mayor of London and an invitation to attend the British Empire exposition in May.

"DEAR SWEETUM" LETTERS READ

Love Notes Introduced at Breach of Promise Suit Against Asa G. Candler

Counsel Declares Candler Wrote Three Letters a Day to Mrs. De Bouchel

ATLANTA, Ga., Jan. 31.—A stack of letters to "Dear Sweetum" were neatly arranged on a counsel table in the United States district court here and were expected to be read during the second day of the trial of the $500,000 breach of promise suit against Asa G. Candler, senior, soft drink magnate of Atlanta, by Mrs. Onezima DeBouchel of New Orleans.

Yesterday thirteen epistles were read, and plaintiff's counsel stated Mr. Candler wrote to Mrs. DeBouchel as many as three letters a day.

"And I am to be the master of your heart; my, my, I never imagined that I would ever master the heart of a queen. I must begin to expand so that I can steadily hold the sceptre of my kingdom and prepare to rule with king's justless," read Mrs. DeBouchel's counsel yesterday from a letter he said had been penned by Mr. Candler to Mrs. DeBouchel who at the time was residing in Reno, Nev.

The dates were early in the spring of 1922. Until then, after their first meeting in November, 1921, at a Confederate veterans' union here, Mr. Candler corresponded with Mrs. DeBouchel, so a letter stated, "for culture and pastime which, being done, I found myself admiring you."

Later another letter stated that Mr. Candler had investigated the "manner of woman" Mrs. DeBouchel was, and, after "from every available source I learned of your excellency, good breeding and personal charm, unrestrainedly loved you."

Proposal of Marriage

Then came the proposal which Mrs. DeBouchel, according to a letter read as from Mr. Candler, accepted after she had obtained a divorce from Adolphe Roequet in Reno in September, 1921.

"The cards are being engraved and the envelopes are being addressed in my office," one letter read. "I am having your marriage ring made to fit my little finger. Is that right? Send me a string measure in your next letter." The same epistle stated Mr. Candler had three conferences to hold, "Then I am ready to depart for Eden, as it was after Adam's nap and rib experience. I am doing my rush act, you see, while you are my sweetheart. After that chapter is ended, I'll have you where I won't have to rush you."

The engagement secret leaked out in August, and also dark clouds over the romance began to gather. In a letter dated Aug. 16, Mr. Candler wrote "the announcement of no citizen's wedding has ever caused as much talk and produced as many letters of every kind as has mine."

"I know that there has gone to New Orleans from Atlanta a prominent citizen," the letter stated, "who is greatly disturbed about my marriage to you, as you have been described by these bad Atlanta papers."

The following day he warned Mrs. DeBouchel not to give any interviews or to distribute any pictures, and added, "whatever may ever come to prevent marriage, will not hinder my devotion to you. My heart is yours, my love for you is the ruling passion of my life."

The next day he penned a short note, declaring "I am only writing to over my devotion to you—I am greatly troubled. You are ever on my heart and mind. I have one cheering thought—that whatever happens, you truly love me, and will till I prove unworthy."

Today's stack of letters are expected to reveal his preparation for his departure for the west, alleged findings of the "prominent citizen" whose visit to New Orleans was causing the capitalist much worry.

Attorneys intimated early today that introduction of these letters and several depositions would complete the plaintiff's case probably before court recessed late today.

Defense attorneys are contending that Mrs. DeBouchel was legally married to Roequet at the time she became engaged to marry Mr. Candler.

WILL SUBMIT REPORT ON ASSESSORS' DEPT.

The committee appointed to investigate the assessors' department of which Alderman Cosgrove is chairman is preparing a report to be submitted in the near future. The business of the committee has been somewhat delayed by Alderman Cosgrove's illness. The committee has been looking up the methods in force in the assessment of property in other cities with a view to finding how the law is interpreted by different bodies. The whole matter is involved in technicalities, but the committee hopes to present a report embodying its conclusions very soon.

BOSTON STAR DEFEATS RAY

Lloyd Hahn of B. A. A. Defeats Chicagoan in Two-thirds of Mile Race at N. Y.

Ray, However, Showed His Heels to Rivals in Mile and a Third Event

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—(By the Associated Press) Joie Ray, sturdy little Chicagoan who has ruled the ranks of distance runners for practically a decade faces one of the hardest tasks among America's chief Olympic hopes this year. This was the opinion of track followers today after "Chesty Joie" failed in a valiant attempt to score a double triumph in the Millrose A.A. games at Madison Square Garden last night, winning the mile and a half but finishing last in the two-thirds of a mile race.

Ray showed to better advantage than at any time this season in hauling up his single victory but his time was seven seconds behind the world's record he established in winning the same Millrose feature a year ago. In the shorter race, the Illinois A.C. flier was outclassed from the start, except for one brief spurt, and in his place a new satellite, Lloyd Hahn of the Boston A.A., flashed to the fore. Hahn's victory score within two-fifths of a second of the world's record of 2.43 3-5 was his second of the season over Ray and establishes the Bostonian as real Olympic distance timber.

Two spectacular sprint victories at sixty and three hundred yards by Loren Murchison of the Newark A.C., national champion, were other outstanding features of the closing night's card of the two night Millrose carnival one of the greatest indoor meets ever held in this country.

No records were broken last night and but one was set during the entire meet but it sparkled from start to finish with brilliant competition among more than 1,000 entries, representing the pick of college and club stars from many parts of the country.

Murchison was close to record time in both of his sprint victories while Alan Helffrich, Penn State holder of the inter collegiate mile time, came close to a new world's mark in winning the Millrose "six hundred" for the second straight year.

The only record of the meet was a one mile, scholastic mark of three minutes 33 4-5 seconds, established by Mercersburg Academy, which held the old mark of 3.35 3-5.

500 Compete in Meet

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—National champions and Olympic team candidates will seek athletic honors with over 500 representatives of the various city departments in the third annual indoor athletic carnival of the municipal athletic activities committee at Madison Square Garden tonight.

The outstanding feature will be a series of three sprint races at 40, 50 and 60 yards in which Loren Murchison, the national title and record holder, will meet, among others, Bob McAllister, former national champion, who established an indoor record for 100 metres at the Brooklyn College games last Saturday.

Harold M. Osborne, the present decathlon champion, will endeavor to break the world's high jump record which he established last week in Chicago while Orville Wanzer, giant policeman who sports the silks of the New York Athletic club, is expected to star in two features—the shot put, in which event he is the national champion and the fifty yard fat man's race confined to city employes weighing two hundred and ten pounds or over.

SALARIES OF NORMAL SCHOOL PRINCIPALS

(Special to The Sun)

BOSTON, Jan. 31—That the Normal schools of the state will suffer greatly unless the legislature overrules Homer Loring's department of administration and finance, and permits an increase in salaries of Normal school principals, was declared by Dr. Payson Smith, state commissioner of education, at a hearing before the ways and means committee yesterday.

"Unless we are allowed to increase the salaries of our principals this year," Dr. Smith said, "we are certain to lose some of them. This is because the maximum salary we are permitted to pay is $4,500, while all around us are states which are paying more.

"Connecticut pays up to $5,000 to its Normal school principals; New Jersey pays $6,500, while New York and Pennsylvania allow as much as $8,500 in certain cases. Under such circumstances, it is only natural that those states should get the best principals, and that our own men should be seeking appointment in those states."

Asked what salaries he desires to pay, Dr. Smith said his budget as submitted to Mr. Loring provided a salary of $5,200 for the principals at Fitchburg, Framingham and Salem, $5,000 at Lowell, Westfield and Worcester; and $4,000 at Hyannis and North Adams.

Rep. Salter Washburn of the committee asked Dr. Smith if he would be allowed to expend the money in case the ways and means committee decided that he should have it.

"I cannot conceive," he said, "that finance would refuse to allow salary the commission on administration and increases specifically authorized by the legislature."

"Don't be too sure of that," replied Rep. Washburn. "That is exactly what happened last year, in at least one department."

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FAKE MUSIC PUBLISHERS

Lecturer at Normal School Describes Methods of the "Song Shark"

Many People Fleeced—Victims Secured Through Advertisements in Magazines

The method of fake music publishers, known as song sharks in victimizing the gullible of this country was explained by William Arms Fisher of the Oliver Ditson company of Boston to the students of the State Normal school yesterday afternoon in the school hall.

Mr. Fisher's address was the third on the general topic, "The Perils of the Credulous" and his special subject was "Song Sharks and Their Victims". He was introduced by Miss Inez Field Damon of the faculty as the one man in this part of the country fitted to deal with the subject because of his connection with one of the largest music publishing houses in the country.

The first expose of song-sharks was made 15 years ago, he said, by Edward Bok when managing editor of the Ladies' Home Journal. Mr. Bok published an article explaining how women and men were fleeced by the song sharks and explained in detail the methods of the sharks. Despite the publicity given this exposure, he said, within a few months music publishers throughout the country found the people were again being victimized. Finally, he decided to learn the methods of the sharks by answering their advertisements. From the answers received and offers made by these fake publishers Mr. Fisher bases his expose. The victim is secured through advertisements in the cheaper magazines of wide circulation which read after the style of the following: "Why don't you write the words for a song. We'll help you along by composing the music free and publishing same?"

"I wrote a poem," he said, "and sent it to about a dozen of these advertisers. Within a day the answers came flocking in. The prices asked by these companies for rearranging the words, writing an accompaniment and getting everything in readiness for publication ranged from $20 to $99. With their replies came circulars telling of the fortunes made by song writers contracts printed on beautifully tinted paper certificates of guarantee and money refund certificates.

"If the victim is at all slow in sending the money," he continued, "the song writers, contracts printed on up letters. One firm located in New York started off by offering to fix up my verse for $99. In each succeeding letter the price was cut until finally they promised to do the work for $20.

"If the amateur verse writer falls for their nicely worded offers and sends them the money asked. The words are put to music. Any hack musician of experience can grind out commonplace music by the yard but this mechanical stuff is absolutely no good and no respectable publisher will even look at the copy.

"Then the song shark writes to the victim and tells him his song is ready for publication and that he will be glad to have it published for a certain price. The victim sends the money and the song shark has professional copies printed on cheap paper in a printing shop owned by himself and sends copies to the large music houses, where they are promptly relegated to the waste basket, and the fleecing of the victim is complete, although I know of one or two cases where 2 cents in stamps was sent a victim three months after his song was published as accrued royalties on sale of the same.

"We Americans," he continued, "are the most gullible people on the earth. This swindle is found nowhere else in the world and it bears the title of 'The Great American Swindle' because of this fact. Since my first exposure of these swindles the government has turned its efforts from the oil well swindles and many of the song shops have been closed for obtaining money under false pretences.

Mr. Fisher said that during the course of his investigation he looked up the copyright records and found that one of the fake publishers had copyrighted in one year as his own work, 1918 songs. The total output of the four leading music publishing houses in the country the same year of songs, band, orchestra and choral music was but 1870.

"A few years ago," he continued, "one of these song sharks located in Washington. His correspondence was so great that the postoffice authorities had to open a branch station near his office. Before the federal authorities closed this shop it was estimated the proprietor made over $85,000. When the authorities did get after the song sharks they found one of the most difficult things they had to do was to convince the American people that these song sharkers were preying upon them. Some victims were so gullible that they would not be convinced, even after being 'stuck' by one song shark they turned around and wrote to another and went through the process of being victimized again.

"Competition in song-sharking became so great recently" he continued, "that several of the fake houses printed warnings in the magazines telling of the fraudulency of other advertisers that was in fact the same game they were playing.

"The remedy for the whole swindle," he said in conclusion, "is publicity. The people must be convinced that these fake music publishing firms are really fakes. A painful and yet humorous thing found in connection with those who deal with song sharks is their anxiety to see their own names blazoned forth on sheet music. They are so anxious for publicity that they fall easy prey to the more clever song sharks."

Next to Selling Bad Rum Is Selling of Bad Food

Continued

customers when he sells goods below standard."

When Fred L. Woodward was called on a drunkenness charge, the probation officer informed the court that he was making his third appearance in three weeks, the latest being yesterday, when he was released. "You've had all the indulgence that is going to be given you," the court told him. "You're making prohibition a laughing-stock. If you have anything to say, I'll hear you."

Defendant responded that if given one more opportunity to go the straight and narrow, the court would not see him again.

"Is that all you have to say?" inquired the court.

"Yes, sir."

"Three months in the house of correction. Next case, Mr. Clerk."

Kakeriz Ignatowicz was saved from a house of correction sentence by the fact that he has five children and works steadily. He was charged with drunkenness, his wife stating that he abused her and pulled her hair last night. A suspended sentence of three months was imposed.

Michael Kealey was given two weeks to make restitution for damages to a door of the Friend bakery shop. Officials of that firm said he smashed a door in the rear of the establishment last night. Defendant claimed he was aggravated when someone in the building threw water on him and the door was broken when he attempted to locate the responsible party.

With the understanding that he contribute $8 weekly to his wife's support, the case of John E. Kennedy, charged with non-support, was continued for two months.

John N. Fratas paid a fine of $10 for selling cold storage eggs not properly designated.

Illegally employing a minor (two counts) occasioned the appearance of Louis Bucalavis. He was found guilty on one count and ordered to pay a $10 fine, while the second count was filed.

Joseph H. McKenna, drunkenness, was continued in $200 until tomorrow.

James A. Manning, illegally maintaining gaming apparatus, and Thos. Pereyslotis, illegal keeping, were each continued to Feb. 5.

ARRIVED TODAY

Ratine Dresses

AT

HALF PRICE

This is the last shipment we will have this year. There are wonderful values in this lot to be closed out at half regular price.

RATINE DRESSES

7 Yrs. to 14 Yrs.

$2.00, $2.50 Dresses..$1.00
$3.00, $3.50 Dresses..$1.50

LADIES' SIZES

Up to 36

$3.00, $3.50 Dresses..$1.50
$4.00, $5.00 Dresses..$2.00

Look them over; the greatest values in town.

Macartney's

SECOND FLOOR

Wretchedness OF Constipation

Can Be Quickly Overcome by

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS Purely vegetable—act sure and gently on the liver. Relieve biliousness, headache, dizziness and indigestion. They do their duty.

Small Pill—Small Dose—Small Price

For Raw Sore Throat

At the first sign of a raw, sore throat rub on a little Musterole with you fingers.

It goes right to the spot with a gentle tingle, loosens congestion, draws out soreness and pain.

Musterole is a clean, white ointment made with oil of mustard. It has all the strength of the old-fashioned mustard plaster without the blister.

Nothing like Musterole for croupy children. Keep it handy for instant use.

To Mothers: Musterole is also made in milder form for babies and small children.

Ask for Children's Musterole.

35 and 65c in jars and tubes; hospital size, $3.

MUSTEROLE WILL NOT BLISTER

Better than a mustard plaster.—Adv.

VERMONT TEA AND BUTTER CO.

CHAIN STORES

Quality Goods—Lowest Prices

SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

CAMPBELL'S BEANS ..... 9¢
BORDEN'S AND VAN CAMP'S MILK—Tall can..... 10½¢
FANCY SLICED BACON (No Rind)..... 25¢

Best Creamery Butter..... 54c	Golden Rod Coffee..... 37c (Sold in our stores only)
Eggs, warranted.... 35c and 40c	Formosa Oolong Tea..... 38c
Fresh Farm Eggs arriving daily at Lowest Prices.	Ceylon Tea 44c
Full Cream Cheese..... 32c	Loose Cocoa 10c
Good Meaty Prunes..... 12½c	Pastry Flour 25c
Pink Salmon 14c	York and Cal. Pea Beans.... 8c
Steak Salmon 19c	Sugar 9½c
Peas 12½c	Seeded Raisins 12½c
Corn 12c	Sliced Peaches 16c
Quaker Farina 10c	Fig Bars 12½c
Sardines 6c	Blue Rose Rice..... 8c
Vermont Jam-Pure Fruit- 1 lb. jar 25c	Vermont Brand Coffee..... 31c

STORES LOCATED AT

240 Chelmsford St.
492 Chelmsford St.
312 Bridge St. (Cor. Lakeview Ave.)
968 Gorham St.
50 Andover St. (Cor. Fayette St.)
583 Merrimack St.
33 Westford St.
719 Lawrence St.

Trade at a Vermont Store and get the best and most for your money.

A Store Near Your Home

VERMONT TEA AND BUTTER CO.

CHAIN STORES

ALTAR BRAND BEESWAX

CANDLES

With Self-Fitting Ends

For the Feast of CANDLEMAS, which will be commemorated Saturday of this week.

Each ..... 19¢ 2 for ..... 37¢
4 for ..... 74¢ Box of 24, $4.25

Headquarters for Wax Tapers, Night Lights and Sanctuary Oil

C. B. Coburn Co.
63 MARKET STREET

Free City Delivery

UNION MARKET

TEL. 4810 ALL DEPTS.

February 1, 1924 Friday

In our 36 years of doing business here we have tried to make this store the Home Market of Lowell. You will find marketing pleasant and reliable here. Once a customer always a customer. A square deal to all. Our prices and quality are well worth comparing.

Fresh Shipment of	SCALLOPS, lb. . .	33c
Fresh Northern	TURKEYS, lb. . .	38c
Leg of Genuine Spring	LAMB, lb. . .	35c
Lean Fresh Cut	PORK CHOPS, lb. .	22c
White Crisp	CELERY, bu. . . .	10c
Ripe	STRAWBERRIES, box .	45c

WHERE YOUR DADDY TRADED

MERRIMACK SQ. Sun., Mon., Tues., Wed. JACKIE COOGAN in His Latest Nine-Reel Feature, LONG LIVE THE KING

Buster Keaton

—In—

"Three Ages"

With this, his first full length feature 6 reels Buster Keaton sets a new standard in comedy production, monumental in bigness, eye-filling in its grandeur and beauty. The Roman Colosseum, where the sensational chariot race is run, is the largest exterior ever constructed for a picture. RIVALS "ROBIN HOOD" IN MAGNIFICANCE AND SETS RECORDS FOR LAUGHS.

ALSO

HOOT GIBSON IN "DOUBLE DEALING," COMEDY, "UNEASY FEET," NEWS, ETC.

Five Hundred Good Evening Seats At Twenty Cts.

THE CENSORS SAID:--

"We didn't realize that Lowell was so fortunate in having a Stock Company as good as Al. Luttringer's. The play there this week is a credit to them and filled with some real good comedy. It's worth seeing."

Have YOU Seen

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Reservations may be made now at Chalifoux's. Seat sale begins Feb. 1
Tickets $1.00, $1.50, $2.00, $2.50 and 10% Tax

Classic Dancer to Teach Rhythmic Art to the Children of the Slums

RUTH ST. DENIS

BY DON E. P. DROHAN.

CHICAGO, Jan. 30.—Free dancing schools for the children of the slums!

They'll be a reality soon, if Ruth St. Denis, exponent of the ancient art of Terpsichore, has her way.

The children of the crowded tenements are going to have an equal chance with the little sons and daughters of the wealthy in learning the rhythmic beauties of the dance.

Classes for them will soon be organized by Miss St. Denis in New York and Los Angeles, she announces.

Then, if the experiment proves a success—and Miss St. Denis is confident it will—others will be formed in Chicago, Philadelphia, Detroit, Cleveland, San Francisco, St. Louis and other cities.

Teachers, for the present, will come from Miss St. Denis' own studio. After a time, municipal aid will be sought in putting over the project.

"I believe children should begin to master their first steps when they're 4 or 5," says Miss St. Denis.

"Teach the little ones the beauties of the dance and you'll give them a nobler conception of life.

"They'll respect their bodies and their souls far more than the young people of today. Their physical, mental and moral standards will be far higher."

Miss St. Denis is looking forward to the day when every city in the country will boast of a community center where old and young may gather for interpretations of the seven arts so dear to the old Grecians.

In all her plans, she's got the backing of her husband. Yes, she has a husband—Ted Shawn, her dancing partner.

FIRE IN UNIVERSITY, NINE STUDENTS HURT

SPRINGFIELD, O., Jan. 31.—Nine students were injured, two probably fatally in escaping from a dormitory during a fire at Wilber Force University, near Xenia this morning. The fire is said to have been of incendiary origin.

TRANSFER FOLLOWS LIQUOR CHARGES

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—Winnefred F. Lent, district manager of the Veterans' bureau for New York, New Jersey and Connecticut, will be transferred to another position in the field administration of his office following as a result of an investigation of the charges of liquor drinking at the New York sub-district building.

SUGGESTION FOR COAL PURCHASE

A suggestion that the City of Lowell purchase its soft coal this year prior to April 1 is contained in a letter received today by Mayor John J. Donovan from Senator Charles P. Howard of Reading, a member of the senate committee investigating coal conditions throughout the state. Senator Howard brings up the probability of a strike of bituminous miners at that time and, therefore, urges early buying as a safeguard.

School Board to Deny Requests for Salary Increase

(Continued)

size of the school department's appropriation based upon salaries as established at present, will not justify any further upward revisions at the present time.

Although the sub-committee of the school board appointed to submit recommendations in relation to salary schedules for teachers and janitors met in a three-hour conference yesterday afternoon, the question at issue was no nearer solution than before the meeting was held.

In other words, the problem is one of great detail and has so many phases which must be taken into consideration that the committee hardly probed beneath the surface. Another meeting will be held tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock and before it adjourns some sort of a report must be approved for presentation to the full committee tomorrow evening.

No member of the sub-committee, composed of Mrs. Alice F. D. Pearson, James H. Riley and Franklin H. Johnson, cared to comment today on what might constitute the report. "I do not care to anticipate what the committee will do," was the statement made by each in reply to queries.

THE ALUMNI FIELD FUND

Principal Harris Gets $100 Check From New York—High School News

Bernard C. Maguire, of New York city, has mailed a check for $100 to Principal Henry H. Harris of the Lowell high school for addition to the Alumni field fund.

School will be dismissed at 12.20 on Monday, Feb. 2, as a convenience to those of the pupils who wish to attend the matinee performance of "The Boomerang," at the Lowell Opera House. The sale of tickets at the school for the show will stop at recess on Monday, and the tickets that are left will be transferred to the box office of the Lowell Opera House, where the public may secure them easily before the show starts. There are still many good seats left for the matinee, although it is expected that they will not last long after they are put on sale at the theatre.

Harold D. Tucker, in charge of the Winter Carnival entries from the sport club at high school has issued a request that all students who desire to participate in the various events on Feb. 6 and 7 shall so signify before the end of this week.

FIREMEN'S PETITION FILED WITH MAYOR

The petition which has been in circulation among business men in interests of the effort of firemen to receive an increase to $6 per day today was filed with the mayor at city hall. He will consider it when the budget is presented to him by the budget and audit commission.

SHIPPING NEWS

Ships arrived: President Monroe, New York, 31, from London; Bayern, Bremen, 27, New York; President Roosevelt, Bremen, 28, New York; Reina Maria Cristina, Cadiz, 30, New York; Franconia, Rangoon, January 30, New York; Mongolia, Antwerp, 27, New York; Empress of Scotland, Algiers, 29, New York.

Sailed: Asia, Lisbon, 29 (from Naples), Halifax and New York.

MISS COLLETT WINS

BELLEAIR HEIGHTS, Fla., Jan. 31.—Miss Glenna Collett of Providence, R. I., defeated Mrs. Dorothy Campbell Hurd today in the final of the women's annual January golf tournament at the nineteenth hole.

Miss Collett went around in 76 against 77 for her opponent.

HELD IN $18,000

WOONSOCKET, R. I., Jan. 31.—James Plouffe, 50 years, of this city, who is alleged to have shot and wounded police patrolman James J. Garrahan when surprised in an attempted burglary early this morning was held in district court in $18,000 on four charges.

INFANTILE PARALYSIS CLINIC YESTERDAY

The second of four infantile paralysis clinics being conducted under the direction of the Lowell board of health at the rooms of the Lowell Guild in Dutton street was held all day yesterday. Seventeen children were examined by a representative of the Harvard Infantile Paralysis commission.

The next clinic will be held on February 6 and the fourth and last on Feb. 20.

WRITES BACK

This is the newest portrait of Mrs. Mary A. Lewisohn, novelist, who is fighting a "novel duel with her husband, Ludwig Lewisohn, also novelist. She charges his latest book, "Don Juan," was written with a view to causing a divorce, so she is writing a reply in a novel entitled "Don Juan's Wife."

GASOLINE HAS GONE UP

Retail gasoline prices in Lowell have gone up to a maximum of 23 cents a gallon, following an increase by refiners earlier in the week. Gasoline now is selling for 22½ and 23 cents and in one or two places at 22 cents. The refiners' price advanced from 17½ to 20 cents.

TO PROBE GASOLINE INDUSTRY

BOSTON, Jan. 31.—Governor Channing H. Cox recommended in a message of the legislature today that the state commission on the necessaries of life be empowered to investigate conditions in the gasoline industry and the distribution and sale of that product.

STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Mixed price movements took place at the opening of today's stock market but a good demand was noted for the high grade rails. Dupont advanced 2½ and American Ice 2. National Lead and U. S. Alcohol each dropped a point.

Strength of the motor shares and a bullish demonstration in Dupont, which sent that stock up six points featured the early dealings. Studebaker and Chandler and Kelsey Wheel each advanced about 2 points and Mack Truck 1. With the exception of the chemicals the general list started to move upward around the end of the first half hour. American Ice jumped 3¼ and Famous Players, American Car and Foundry, air reduction and Phillips Morris each advanced a point or more. Division Chemical dropped 2¾ and Virginia Carolina Chemical pfd. 1. Foreign exchanges opened strong.

Prices displayed a firm undertone during the morning's quiet trading. Extensive short covering was again in evidence, particularly in the automotive issues. Associated Oil and Pacific Oil touched new high figures for the year at 34 and 56¾, respectively. Declaration of the regular Studebaker dividend was followed by heavy profit-taking which forced that stock down 1½ points from its early high. National Lead more than made up its early loss of 3 points. Hayes Wheel, Pierce Oil pfd., and Market Street Railway second preferred each up two points, were among the few conspicuous strong points. Withdrawal of funds from the call money market in order to meet month-end requirements resulted in a renewal rate of 4½ per cent., the highest this year.

Activity increased and buying became of a broader character after midday, despite the marking up of the call money rate of 5 per cent. The Canada Shipping and Tobacco issues rose smartly. Southern Railway spurted to 46¾, a new top, and General Motors was taken in large blocks on its advance to 16. Corn Products, however, fell 3½ and Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron 2 points.

Money Market

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Foreign exchanges steady. Great Britain, demand, 430, cables 430½; 60 day bills on banks 427¾. France, demand 4.69½; cables 4.70. Italy, demand 4.36; cables 4.36½. Belgium, demand 6.16½; cables 6.17. Germany, demand .000000000023, cables .000000000023. Holland, demand 37.4. Norway, demand 13.59.

Sweden demand, 26.24 Denmark demand 16.18, Switzerland demand, 17.30 Spain demand, 12.78; Greece demand 1.84; Poland demand, .0000011. Czecho Slovakia demand 2.88 Jugoslavia demand 1.15¾. Austria, .0014. Rumania demand, 50¾. Argentina demand, 32.75. Brazil demand 11.25 Tokio demand 45½. Montreal 97 1-32.

Boston Market

BOSTON, Jan. 31.—Fractional price changes, predominately upward, marked the early trading on the local market today. Swift and Company advanced ¾. Edison ¼ and Ventura and American Telephone each ⅛. Shoe Machinery was off ⅛.

Cotton Market

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Cotton futures opened steady. March 33.25; May 33.58; July 32.30; October 27.90; December 27.45.

NEW YORK MARKET

	High	Low	Close
Allis Chal	48¾	48	48¾
Am Can	120	116½	120
do pf	111¾	111½	120
Am Car & F	171	171	171
Am H & L	11⅛	11⅛	11⅛
do pf	56	55⅞	56
Am Loco	74½	73⅞	74
Am Smelt	59½	59⅛	59½
do pf	99½	99½	99½
Am Sumatra	24¾	21¼	22½
Am T & T	128¾	128½	128⅛
Am Wool	71⅝	69⅝	71¾
Anaconda	38½	38	38⅛
Atch	101⅞	100¾	101¼
do pf	89¼	89¼	89¼
At Gulf	17¼	16	17
Baldwin	125⅜	122¼	121⅞
B & O	58⅜	58	58¼
Beth Steel	59	58½	59
B R T	16	15½	15⅝
Butte & Sup	18⅜	18¼	18¼
Cal Pete	28½	28	28
do pf	107	106¼	107
Can Pac	148⅜	148	148⅜
Cent Leather	15⅛	15⅛	15⅛
do pfd	40½	37½	38¼
Ches & O	74¾	74	74¼
C & Gt W	5	5	5
C R I & P	26⅜	24⅞	25⅛
Chile	27¾	27⅜	27¾
*Col G & E	35⅞	35⅞	35⅞
Con Gas	65⅞	64¾	65¾
Corn Prod	182½	179	181⅞
Cru Steel	67½	66¾	67⅜
Cuba Cane	16½	16⅛	16½
Del & Hud	110½	110½	110½
Erie	27¼	26¾	27⅛
do pfd	34	33¾	34
do 2d	29¾	29¾	29⅝
Gen Elec	214½	211	213¾
Gen Motors	16	15¾	15⅞
Granby	14⅞	14⅞	14⅞
Gt No pfd	58½	57¾	58½
Gt N Ore ctf	29¾	29¾	29¾
Int Mer Mar	8⅜	7¾	8¼
do pfd	33¾	31⅞	33¾
Int Paper	38	37¾	38
Kennecott	36⅜	36¼	36¼
K City S	19	19	19
Lehigh Val	70¼	69½	70
L & Nash	89⅜	89⅛	89¾
Maxwell	53⅞	52½	53⅞
do 1st	15	14¾	15
Mother Lode	8½	8⅜	8½
Mo Pac	11⅜	11¼	11⅜
Nat Lead	148½	145	146
Nevada	12¾	12½	12½
N Y Air B	41½	41½	41½
N Y Cent	104½	104	104¾
N Y & N H	19⅜	18¼	19
Nor & West	106⅜	106⅛	106⅛
No Pac	54⅛	53¼	53¼
Ont & West	18½	18½	18½
Pan Amm	50¼	49	50
Penn	45¾	45¼	45⅛
Peo Gas	97¼	97	97¼
Pere Marquette	43½	43¼	43½
P W V	13	13	13
*Pullman	124⅜	123¾	124
Pure Oil	21⅝	21¼	21⅞
Pure Oil	24⅝	24¼	24¼
Ray Con	11⅛	11	11¼
Ry St Sp Co	113¾	113½	113½
Reading	56¾	56	56
Rep I & S	57¼	56½	57½
Royal D	55½	55	55½
St. Paul	16¼	16	16¼
Sinclair Oil	23¾	23⅛	23¾
Sloss	62⅞	61⅞	62½
So Pac	88½	88¼	88
So Ry	46⅞	44½	45⅞
do pf	76¼	68¾	76¼
*Stewart	95¼	92⅞	95¼
Studs	104½	102⅞	104¼
Tenn Cop	9⅛	9	9⅛
Tex Pac	22½	22	22⅛
Third Av	11	9⅞	10½
U Pac	130¼	130¼	130¼
U S I Al	83⅞	80¼	83
U S Rub	38⅜	37⅞	38⅜
do pfd	87¾	87	87¾
U S Steel	106	105⅞	106¾
do pfd	120⅛	120	120⅛
Utah Cop	65¾	65⅜	65⅝
Va Chem	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞
Wab	12½	12¼	12½
do A	38⅞	37⅞	38⅞
Willys	13⅛	12⅞	13
Wash'house	63⅜	63⅛	63⅛
Wes Un	112½	112	112

BOSTON MARKET

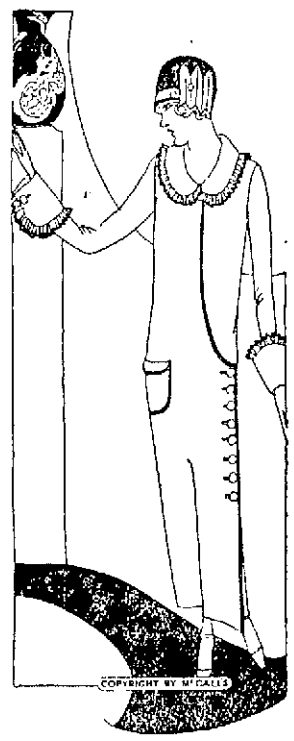
	High	Low	Close
Am Wool pfd	101	101	101
Bos and Alb	148	148	148
Bos El	79	79	79
Bos and Me	12	12	12

DIVORCE FIGURES

Here are photographs of Mr. and Mrs. Albert R. Leland, prominent figures in Chicago's latest sensational divorce trial. Leland is suing his wife for divorce, naming Rev. Carl D. Case, Chicago pastor, as corespondent.

DEMOCRATIC SECRETARY

Meet the new secretary of the democratic national committee—Charles A. Greathouse of Indianapolis. He prepared for his important new post in hoosier state politics.



BUTTONS AND FRILLS

Rows and rows of buttons are used for trimming spring frocks. Many models fasten with buttons from neck to ankles either in front or in back; others have buttons for adornment only, not for use.

Here is a new spring frock, slightly different in its lines, which has a single row of large buttons with bound buttonholes for its skirt closing. The graceful line of the front opening from neck to waist recommends this model, too. Narrow frills at the neck and wrists add a dainty feminine touch to its tailored correctness.

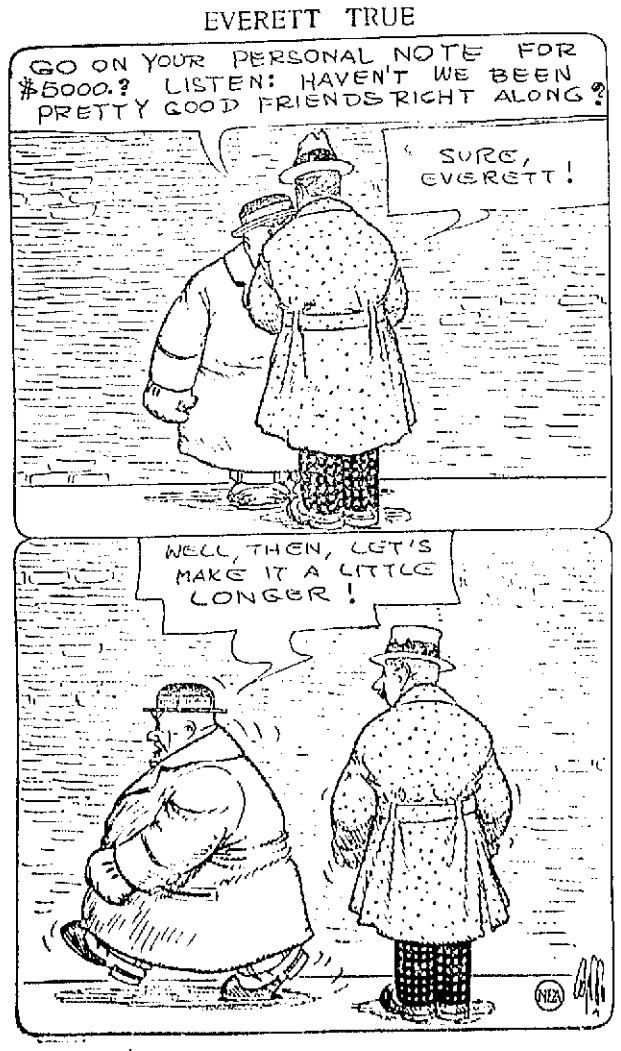
Cal and Hec	18⅝	18⅛	18⅛
Cop Range	21⅛	21⅛	21⅛
Davis Daly	4	1	1
East Butte	5	5	5
East M'ND	6½	6½	6½
Eastern S S	41½	41½	41½
Elder Cop	3¼	3¼	3¼
Gray and Davis	8½	8½	8½
Isl Cr Coal	37	36	36
Isle Roy	18	18	18
Mason Valley	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
Mass Gas	67¼	76½	76½
do pfd	68	68	68
Mayflower	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
Mohawk	32¼	32¼	32¼
Nat Leather	1¼	1	1
N E Tel	115	115	115
No Butte	3	2⅞	3
Shannon	45	10	10
Swift and Co	103½	103	103
Swift Intl	21⅝	21¼	21¼
U Apex	2⅞	2⅞	2⅞
U Shoe	37	36¾	37
do pfd	26¼	26¼	26¼
Ventura	26⅜	26¼	26¼
Waldorf	16	15	15
Waltham Watch	9	8⅝	9

GET THE SUN CLASSIFIED AD HABIT

WORD TO THE WISE

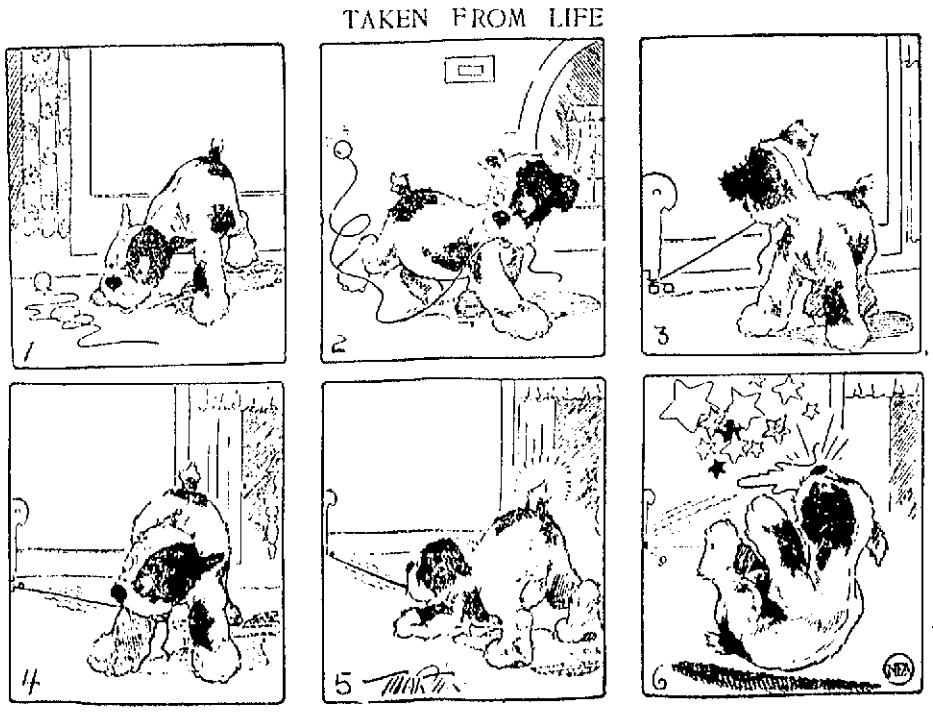
Although a career in the arts and sciences looms for many a co-ed at the University of Washington, in Seattle, most of them still believe that "woman's place is in the home." And so they are taking advantage of the fact that it is leap year to spur the matrimonial tendencies of hesitant males. Miss Lois Howard is here shown pointing out a leap year bulletin posted on one of the university buildings.

EVERETT TRUE



ADAM AND EVA

TAKEN FROM LIFE



Chapter 1—Jack Daw's Adventures

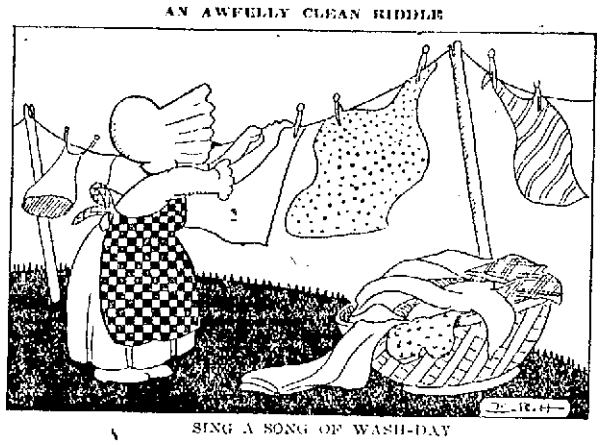
Have you ever traveled on skis? Well, it's great sport, and that's why we find Jack Daw having the time of his life. At first it is a little hard to handle skis, but Jack has managed to stand up on them very well, and as he travels along his pet dog Flip enjoys it too.

"Come on there, old fellow!" shouted Jack, as he came to a long, winding hill and prepared to take a real slide. As the little adventurer went over the top of the hill, Flip ploughed along through the snow as best he could. Down, down, down went Jack, just like lightning.

Of course, Flip didn't have skis on. Dogs never wear them. So, after sinking into the snow several times in his flight down the hill, the faithful pet lost his footing and started rolling over and over and over. Jack was ahead of Flip, so didn't see his dog tumble. (Continued.)

ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS
by Olive Roberts Barton

AN AWFULLY CLEAN RIDDLE



SING A SONG OF WASH-DAY

The Riddle Lady had another brand-new riddle ready next day, and it was a good thing she had, for a lot of company had come to Riddle Town from Mother Goose Land to try their luck at guessing.

Nancy and Nick helped Humpty Dumpty to receive them and say how-do-you-do and all that!

This was the riddle the Riddle Lady asked:

"Sing a song of wash-day,
A basket full of clothes,
A line hung with damp things
In long flopping rows.

"But, oh, without us, wash-day
Would be a useless thing,
About as foolish as a crown
That hasn't any king.

"We're not known for beauty,
Plain as we can be,
Wooden-heads they call us—
We're dumb, too, don't you see.

"Now you know who we are,
Now you know our name,
Though we're far from beautiful,
We're needed just the same.

"I and all my brothers
Ride one slender horse.
Poor thing's so thin he can't stand up,
So needs a prop, of course!

"We love the sun quite dearly,
But oh, we hate the rain.
Umbrellas we can't hold at all,
For we've no arms, it's plain.

"We've nice straight legs—we need them, too!
To ride our steed so high,
For it's our job to hold on tight,
And see that the clothes get dry."

"I knew it! I just knew it!" cried a voice indignantly when the Riddle Lady had finished.

Everybody turned in surprise and were still more surprised to discover that it was the Maid-in-the-Garden who was doing the scolding.

"Here I am on my vacation and the first thing I hear is clothespins! For that's the answer. I'm as sure as anything. It can't be anything else. The king and the queen they sez to me this morning, sez they, 'Hannah, this is such a nice day, 'n all, and your nose being better 'n everything, leave off your washing and go to Riddle Land with us in our golden coach. It'll do you good to get away from your work for a spell!'

"And so I came and here I am and the first thing I hear is clothespins. Urgh!"

The Riddle Lady smiled. "Oh, but you've guessed the answer and you get the prize," she said. "It's a new dress with lovely trimmings. You can wear it to church Sundays."

"Well, that's different!" declared the Maid-in-the-Garden in high good humor. "I'm glad I came."

(To Be Continued)

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TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

Southern Division To Boston Lve.	Arr.	Fr. Boston Lve.	Arr.	Portland Division To Boston Lve.	Arr.	Fr. Boston Lve.	Arr.
6.20	6.40	6.30	8.10	6.33	7.36	z6.35	8.31
6.28	7.26	6.00	7.08	10.54	12.10	10.35	11.53
b6.30	7.50	7.35	8.53	3.14pm	6.25	3.20	4.36
6.44	7.30	b8.16	9.30	7.12	8.26	5.14	6.13
6.56	8.00	9.00	9.39	10.20	11.33	6.55	8.14
7.12	8.03	10.00	10.40			9.50	11.17
7.56	8.37	12.30	1.11	**Sunday Trains Portland Division**			
9.01	10.43	s8.05	2.03	12.07	1.20	3.20	4.48
10.05	11.05	s1.20	2.40	8.40	4.46	5.50	6.45
11.17	12.00	2.15	3.11	6.20	7.10	8.45	9.50
12.07	1.01	2.50	3.41	8.55	10.05		
1.51	2.33	4.00	4.42	**Sunday Trains Southern Division**			
2.45	3.18	4.05	5.24	6.44	7.30	8.45	9.55
s3.30	4.12	5.00	5.42	7.12	8.03	10.00	10.39
4.00	4.46	b5.31	6.42	8.40	9.40	10.30	11.09
4.12	5.25	6.30	6.55	9.13	10.10	1.00	2.04
5.06	6.40	6.50	7.17	10.20	11.17	5.31	6.24
b6.05	7.28	8.14	8.38	6.38	7.45	8.33	9.11
6.56	7.45	8.00	8.41	8.10	8.50	9.25	10.35
8.22	9.05	8.50	9.11	8.38	9.50	10.45	12.02
9.58	10.50	10.30	11.40	9.55	11.50		
		11.35	12.40				

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THE SUN IS ON SALE AT BOTH NEWSSTANDS IN NORTH STATION, BOSTON

OLD HOME TOWN

GIVING HIM THE BLOOMIN' BOUNCE

Here you see the friendly way in which they initiate new members into the snowshoe clubs in Canada. Old members declare they can determine the caliber of initiates by the way they go through the stunt. If the "green" member bounces well, he is admitted.

NOTED BRITISH SOLDIER

Maj. Gen. Sir Sackville-West to Wed Mrs. Anne Meredith Bigelow

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Maj. Gen. Sir Charles John Sackville-West noted British soldier and diplomat yesterday was granted a license to wed Mrs. Anne Meredith Bigelow, New York society woman. Mrs. Bigelow was granted a decree of divorce from Stephen S. Bigelow in Paris last October. She is the daughter of William D. Meredith.

Sir Charles, a widower, entered the British army in 1889, and served in India, South Africa and in France. He attained the rank of major general at the close of the World war and became one of the British representatives on the allied military committee at Versailles, assisting in the framing of the peace treaty. He was appointed military attache at the British embassy in Paris in 1920.

Mrs. Bigelow was formerly Anne Meredith, star actress of several Broadway productions, who was married three years ago to Stephen S. Bigelow, war hero and scion of one of Boston's wealthy families. She secured a divorce last July in Paris, basing her suit on her husband's "indifference."

Before her marriage Mrs. Bigelow made a hit in "Polly With a Past," "An Ideal Husband" and other attractions. At the time of the marriag, she said it had been agreed that she should either continue on the stage or leave it, as she desired.

Legal Notices

Commonwealth of Massachusetts:—Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Clara Hoyle, sometimes called Clara E. Hoyle late of Lowell, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for probate, by Emma Regnier, who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the fourteenth day of February, A. D. 1924 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing, post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, George F. Lawton Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-ninth day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four.

GEO. H. ALLARD, Jr. Attorney.

F. M. ESTY, Registar.

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Announcements

ANNOUNCEMENT—The Bankers Exchange Corp., formerly with offices at 202 Central st., has moved to the new offices at 317 Central st., over the Fisk Tire Shop, where they are prepared to meet their old customers and make new ones. If you want to buy or sell, get in touch right away with M. Gomes, real estate and general insurance, 317 Central st. Phone 3473.

LOST AND FOUND 2

TORTOISE SHELL GLASSES in case lost between Merrimack st. (at Suffolk) and Oak st. Reward if returned to Pentucket garage or 7 Oak st.

Legal Notices

Commonwealth of Massachusetts:—Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To all persons interested in any of the estate of C. Elliott Coburn, also called Clarence E. Coburn, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased, testate.

Whereas, Ina M. Vincent, formerly Ina M. Coburn of Washington, in the State of New Hampshire, has presented to said Court a petition, representing that she as the widow of said deceased, is interested in the property of said deceased in this Commonwealth, that the whole of the property of said deceased remaining after the payment of debts and charges of administration does not exceed in value the sum of five thousand dollars; and praying that the value of the property remaining after the payment of debts and charges of administration may be determined by said Court, according to law:

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the seventh day of February, A.D. 1924, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to each person interested who can be found within the Commonwealth, fourteen days, at least, before said Court; and if anyone cannot be so found, by publishing the same in the Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, once in each week, for three successive weeks, the last publication to be one day at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy hereof of his last known address seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this seventeenth day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-four.

F. M. ESTY, Register.

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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Office of the Secretary
Boston, Jan. 17, 1924.

Notice is hereby given, of the discontinuance of the license of International Cotton Mills, Lowell Division, of Boston, as a Public Warehouseman within and for the City of Lowell by reason of its resignation of said office.

FREDERICK W. COOK,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

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CYLINDER REGRINDING for all makes of pleasure cars and trucks. Piston rings fitted. W. B. Roper, 19 Broadway, Lowell. Tel. 4394.

AUTOMOBILE ACCESSORIES 17

AUTO TIRES PUT IN SHAPE now at Healy & Hiltz's will carry through the winter. 404 Central st. Tel. 4530.

TAXI SERVICE

RED LINE TAXI CO.—Taxiphone 6782. All cars insured.

ELECTRIC SERVICE

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ELECTRICIANS 33

J. M. RICHARDS, electrician. Estimates given on large and small jobs. 206 Appleton st. Tel. 6810 or 5708-J.

Business Service

UPHOLSTERING 44

CHAIR CUSHIONS made. Furniture upholstered. Coray, 48 Coral st. Tel. 1560.

UPHOLSTERY and furniture repairing. 188 Middlesex st. Tel. 3460.

FURNITURE UPHOLSTERED and refinished. All work guaranteed. Lowell Furniture Repair Shop, 3 Lincoln sq. Tel. 6663.

UPHOLSTERING Furniture repairing. G. Gott, 314 Bridge st. Tel. 6870.

MOVING AND TRUCKING

J. WOOD & SON Piano and furniture moving, long distance general trucking. 78 Hampshire st. Tel. 2324-W.

LEO GAGNE—Piano and furniture moving. General trucking, hard wood, coal for sale. 140 Hall st. Tel. 2833-J.

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SAND, GRAVEL and cinders for sale. All kinds of trucking. Alex Malloux, Broadway, Dracut Centre. Tel. 4044-W.

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STORAGE FOR FURNITURE and pianos, large enough for two-horse load. M. A. Mahoney, 18 Fourth st.

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STOVE REPAIRING

QUINN STOVE REPAIR CO., 140 Middlesex st., sells linings, grates and other parts to fit all stoves and ranges. Work promptly attended to by expert repair men. Tel. 4170.

HAVE YOUR STOVE TRIMMINGS polished and nickel plated. Regan & Kirwin, 37 Shattuck st. Tel. 2657.

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ACTIVE AND HEALTHY—ALL BUT my feet. We specialize in the manufacturing and adjustment of mechanical appliances. Special agents for DR. JENSEN'S foot appliances. Competent fitters always at your service. Come in and talk it over. No charge.
THE FRYE & CRAWFORD DRUG CO.
474 MERRIMACK ST.

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—Specialist—
SKIN, BLOOD AND NERVOUS DISEASES
RHEUMATISM, neuralgia, neuritis, lumbago, sciatica, rheumatoid, arthritis, gout, catarrh, epilepsy.
CANCER, TUMORS, PILES, Fistula and rectal diseases WITHOUT THE KNIFE.
EYE, ear, nose, throat, stomach.
LOWELL OFFICE, NEW LOWELL FIVE CENT SAVINGS BANK BLDG., JOHN ST., WED. AND SAT. 2-3, 7-8.
—Consultation Free—

BUILDING CONTRACTING

WINDOW SHADES Contractors and individuals supplied at lowest prices. We manufacture. Challoux's Curtain Shop. Third floor.

CHIMNEYS CLEANED 37

CHIMNEYS SWEPT, $2.50 a flue. J. M. Kelley, 191 Appleton st. Tel. 4711-M.

TREE PRUNING

PRUNING TREES, vines and shrubs. Experienced. Thomas Law. Tel. 4012-W.

Employment

HELP WANTED—MALE 54

U. S. GOVERNMENT JOBS, pay $100 to $250 month. Men-women, 18 up. Steady. Short hours. Pleasant. Paid vacation. Schedule examination places—free. Write sure today. Franklin Institute, Dept 151 K, Rochester, N. Y.

FAMILIES of skilled cotton mill workers for out-of-town mill. Moving expenses advanced. Must assist W.d., Thurs. and Fri. at Middlesex Service Bureau, 164 Middlesex st.

SALESMEN AND AGENTS 58

BECOME REPRESENTATIVE Large concern. Establish yourself permanently. Simplified method selling shoes factory to wearer. Your daily profits large. Apply immediately. Style Arch Shoes, Cincinnati.

ONE FIRST CLASS TOOL MAKER and one first class machinist. Apply Clarence Warp, Supt. American Shearer Mfg. Co., Nashua, N. H.

Employment

SITUATIONS WANTED 54

WOMAN wants housecleaning by the hour or day. Reliable. Write M-8.

YOUNG MAN, handy in plumbing section as well as in garage, wants work of any kind for small salary. Write T 70, this office.

Financial

MONEY TO LOAN

CASH waiting for 2nd and 3rd mortgages. Apply P. O. Box 1067.

Livestock

POULTRY 67

POULTRY Market price paid for poultry of all kinds. Lowell Live Poultry Exchange, 344 Market st. Tel. 5675.

Merchandise

ARTICLES FOR SALE 73

TWO SHAW KNITTING MACHINES, one wool one cotton, for sale. Two for $75. 858 Lakeview ave.

A DROP-HEAD SEWING MACHINE for sale, in good running condition. Call evenings at 15 Carter ave. or phone 5672-M after 5 p. m.

CLOTHING—Men's new and second hand clothing bought and sold. Students' Clothing store, 340 Middle st.

FURNITURE—Second hand and stoves of all kinds, to sell and sold. Quality Furniture Co., 324 Middle st. Tel. 5221.

SMOKERS' SUPPLIES

ALL KINDS OF PIPES at right prices. P. & K. Smoke Shop, 242 Central st.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS 80

BARGAINS in new and used pianos, player pianos and victrolas at Hounsell's, 704 Bridge st., near Tenth st.

USED PIANOS—A few good bargains in used pianos and player pianos. Prices are right. Instruments guaranteed. Bon Marche.

MATTRESSES AND SPRINGS 86

OLD MATTRESSES made over and repaired. Work called for and delivered. Phone 3502. West End Spring Bed Co., 88 Fletcher st.

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RAZOR BLADES

RAZOR BLADES—We resharpen every kind of safety razor blade, also hone razors right. Howard, 209 Central st.

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED a young business couple to room and board. 74 Bellevue st. Tel. 6409-Y.

CHILD TO BOARD wanted. Mrs. Williams, Percy st., Kenwood.

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DOLL HOSPITAL—First class repairing, complete assortment of doll parts. Toy shop, basement section, Bon Marche Dry Goods Co.

LEATHER for shoe repairing; fresh, clean stock. Prices from 25c pound up. Stilwell, 171 Church st.

SQUARE SHOE FIX—Men's rubber heels, 40c; ladies' rubber heels, 35c; men's sewed taps, rubber heels, $1.25; ladies' sewed taps, rubber heels, $1. Basement store, 11 Merrimack st.

Rooms—Board

ROOMS FOR RENT 91

ROOMS for light housekeeping. Prices $1.00 and $2.50. New management. 155 Market st.

ROOMS for light housekeeping and steam heated rooms to let. 33 Tyler street.

FURNISHED ROOMS to let at 56 Sixth st.

FURNISHED ROOMS to let; private family, steam heat; use of phone; short distance from the square. Tel. 4515-M.

FRONT FURNISHED ROOM to let in Belvidere, gentleman preferred; private family. Tel. 3608-R.

Real Estate For Rent

APARTMENTS—TENEMENTS 94

4-ROOM KITCHENET AND STORE to let. Rent reasonable. 703 Merrimack st. Tel. 1159-Y.

4-ROOM TENEMENT to let. Gas and electricity. Bath and open plumbing. 90 Lawrence st. Phone 1776-W.

SUNNY 4-ROOM TENEMENT to let. 124 High st. Tel. 6566-W.

FIRST CLASS TENEMENT of five rooms to let; bath, hot and cold water. Apply 55 Franklin st.

3-ROOM FURNISHED APARTMENT to let; steam heat, electric washing machine. Space for auto. Gaudette, 217 Pawtucket boulevard.

5-ROOM APARTMENTS with all modern conveniences and janitor service. Heated, hot and cold water. Finest apartments north of Boston. Apply to George Husson, 199 Pawtucket st. Tel. 2995-M.

Real Estate For Sale

HOUSE FOR SALE 101

DOWN-TOWN LODGING HOUSE for sale; 12 rooms, very best of furniture, all conveniences, hardwood floors, electricity, 2 baths, steam heat, janitor service. Income $180 per month. Shown by Mr. Cyrus Chase. E. M. Humphrey office. Tel. 6910.

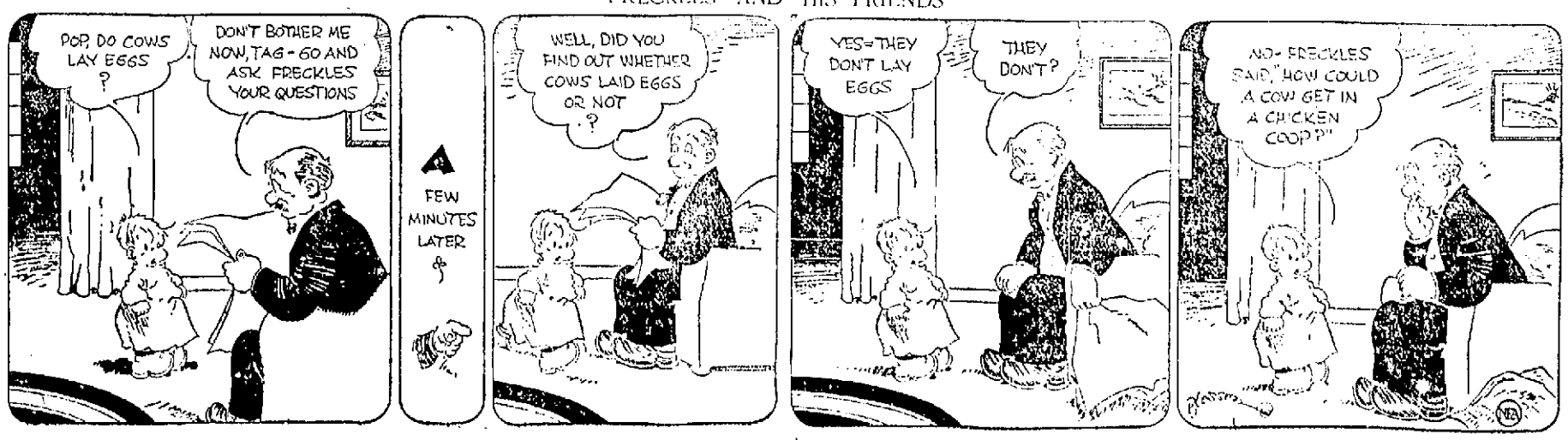
BUSINESS PROPERTY 103

FOR 1 ROOM for sale, situated on Moody st; fully equipped. For information call 28 Race st.

WANTED—REAL ESTATE 103

2-TENEMENT OR COTTAGE wanted in any good location, state price and particulars in first letter. I will pay cash for a good trade. Write H-88, Sun office.

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



LOWELL'S GREATEST NEWSPAPER

THE LOWELL SUN

THURSDAY EVENING, JAN. 31, 1924

MILK PRICE REDUCTION

Distributors Promise Reduction of 1 Cent the Quart—Meeting Tonight

Thirteen-cent pasteurized milk for Lowell consumers is a possibility, beginning tomorrow morning. A reduction from the present price of 14 cents per quart is coming, prominent distributors said today.

Lowell and vicinity milk producers and distributors will hold a special meeting in this city tonight to discuss retail milk prices for the coming months. All association members have been requested to attend without fail.

It was reported today that the local delivery 14-cent retail quart price for pasteurized milk would be slashed to 13 cents, starting tomorrow morning, but no agreement has yet been reached by local distributors to make that reduction.

Supplies of fresh milk are increasing locally and sales have not been maintained owing to local industrial conditions.

Nearby members of the Lowell association attended the annual meeting of the New England Milk Producers' association, held in Boston yesterday, among them being Norman L. Peavey of Dracut, leader in the Lowell branch organization.

The future prices of milk, selling at wholesale and retail and probable prices that the farmer-raisers of milk will receive, starting tomorrow, was discussed at a closed conference by leading milk distributors after the close of the Boston convention program. Just what was done at this conference, could not be learned today, but it is said that many distributors feel that retail prices can be cut one cent per quart at this time because of the increasing supply of pasteurized milk coming into Massachusetts from northern states.

Tonight's meeting of Lowell distributors plans to settle promptly the future retail price problem, and it was broadly prophesied this morning that 13-cent milk for Lowell consumers is a certainty starting tomorrow morning.

The Boston convention yesterday completed much business of importance to the New England milk producers and distributors. Farmers belonging to the N.E.M.P.A. hereafter will have more direct representation in the councils of that body. A plan adopted unanimously yesterday afternoon provides for increasing the voting delegates from 60 to 300.

Hitherto, a delegate voting has represented a district roughly corresponding to a county like Middlesex. Under the new plan from four to 10 delegates will be chosen from a county and will be selected from different areas so as to give the various communities a more local representation than they have had before. There are 22,000 members of the New England association at present and by the new plan it is expected that more of the influence of the annual meeting will go back to the individual members who are scattered widely about the New England states and upper New York.

Annual conventions in the future will be held in October instead of January, insuring large attendances at such gatherings. The association put itself on record yesterday as earnest supporters of all "grade A" milk laws and regulations. Uniform laws are to be fought for throughout New England from now on.

The re-election of Dr. George R. Little of Schaghticoke, N. Y., as president of the association, by the incoming board of directors, was announced last evening. R. A. Sikes of Ellington, Ct., was elected vice-president.

The directors were elected during the afternoon, as follows: Ralph L. Worthley, Strong, Me., to succeed E. L. McIntire who declined re-election; George M. Putnam, Contoocook, N. H., re-elected; Fred E. Gorham, West Newbury, re-elected; George Dunmore, St. Albans, Vt., to fill unexpired term of Mark Moody, Waterbury, Vt., who resigned; Elmer Poole, North Dartmouth, Mass., re-elected; Frank T. Peckham, Newport, R. I., to succeed E. H. Theinert, Albion, R. I., who declined re-election; R. A. Sikes, Ellington, Ct., re-elected; George R. Little, Schaghticoke, N. Y., re-elected.

Other officers chosen by the delegates were: Clerk, Richard Patter, Boston, re-elected; treasurer, H. L. Webster, West Canaan, N. H., re-elected; auditors, Chauncy Gleason, Haverhill, and S. M. Gimill, Waterbury, Vt., both re-elected.

LONDON PROFESSOR CANCELS VISIT TO U. S.

AMHERST, Jan. 31.—President George D. Olds announced at the Amherst college chapel service this morning that Prof. Ernest Barker, principal of King's college, London who was expected to reach Amherst next week to be in residence for the remainder of the winter term as lecturer in history and political science, has been obliged to cancel his engagement, on account of his wife's death, which occurred last Sunday. Professor Barker was also to have delivered the Lowell lectures at Harvard.

TONIGHT

Thos. Talbot Memorial Hall
North Billerica

"MAKING DADDY BEHAVE"

Three-Act Comedy Drama

8 O'Clock—Tickets 50¢

ALTISSIMA DRAMATIC CLUB

NOTICE

The ninety-sixth semi-annual meeting of the Lowell Co-operative Association will be held in Odd Fellows building, Middlesex street, Lowell, Friday Evening, Feb. 1, 1924, at 8 o'clock p. m., for election of officers and such other business as may legally come before it.

E. D. TUCKE, Pres.
J. S. MacINNIS, Clerk.

THEIR ANNUAL BANQUET

Lowell Retail Druggists' Association Members Make Merry at Meeting

The pharmacopeia was forgotten by the druggists of Lowell last night when every drug store was locked up as tight as a pullman car window and all the prescription compounders put their feet under the long tables at Marie's for their annual banquet and get-together. You might not imagine that the bespectacled, careful, serious-countenanced soul that generally wraps up your prescription or sells you a stamp at cost ever "steps out" but he does,—once a year at least. And last night was his night and he made the most of it. Hilarity reached great heights at the banquet and the war tax, luxury tax, income tax and tobacco tax were all temporarily dismissed from mind. This morning saw the druggists all back at their counters, ready to pound a mean pestle if the occasion demanded, but beneath their drug store tan quite flushed with pardonable pride and exaltation at the success of last night's affair.

To get right down to facts, as the doctor does in his prescription, the affair was run off by the Lowell Retail Druggists association. John Walsh, local president, was toastmaster. The principal speakers were Fred Jones of Lowell, president of the state association, James T. Finneran of Boston and Representative Fred O. Lewis of Lowell. A ladies' orchestra played during the dinner and also afforded accompaniment for Frank McCartin and Joseph Craven who pleased with songs.

William H. Noonan was chairman of the banquet committee. He was assisted by the association officers and the following members of the executive committee, President John Walsh, Secretary Fred Jones, Vice President Lurien Brunelle, Frank Finnerty and Charles Devno.

SUN BREVITIES

Best printing, Tabin's, Associate bldg.

Catering the best—Lydon. Tel. 4934.

J. F. Donohoe, 222-223 Hildreth Bldg., real estate and insurance. Telephone.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael McInerney of Merrimack street are rejoicing over the arrival of a new daughter. Mr. McInerney is the well known window trimmer of the Gagnon company.

Earl D. Prescott, of 166 D street, enlisted in the navy yesterday as a fireman, 3rd class, through the local recruiting office. During the war he served in the Naval Reserve forces for four years.

Paul Hoban, six-year-old son of Police Chauffeur Leo Hoban of 82 Pleasant street, was presented an autographed baseball, a "Babe" Ruth product, last night. The ball was used in the final game of the 1923 World Series between the two New York teams and was captured by Umpire "Bob" Hart.

Jack Ravold, stage director of the Lattringer Stock company, has returned after a three-day visit to New York city.

A chimney fire at 172 Mansur street was responsible for a telephone alarm at 12.28 this afternoon. The damage was slight.

The condition of Hoseman James H. Tracy of Hose 13, Central street who was injured Tuesday evening when he fell from the hosewagon while answering an alarm, was reported at St. John's hospital today to be slightly improved.

The cake sale to be conducted in Gagnon's by the United Irish societies of Lowell for the benefit of the Irish concert on March 17, is scheduled for one week from Friday and not tomorrow, as previously reported.

The annual tour to New York, Philadelphia and Washington, personally conducted by Leo A. King, master of the Edson school and Thomas A. Ginty, director of the Continuation school, will this year be held from April 25 to May 2.

George Rees, of 27 Middlesex park, enlisted this morning for service as an apprentice seaman in the navy, through the local recruiting office. He will be sent to the Newport training station for two months.

James Sykes, formerly employed here as a machinery erector at the Saco-Lowell shops, has returned to his old home in Montgomery, Ala. Residents of the Y.M.C.A. dormitory, where he formerly lived, this week received cards from him.

Walker Leonard, of 117 Coburn street, joined the army this morning at the Lowell recruiting station. He will be detailed to the 3rd Cavalry, stationed at Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont. Leonard was born in Lancashire county, in the town of Oldham, England.

The navy recruiting officer, Chief Watertender Frederick, reports 9 first enlistments and 2 re-enlistments for the month of January. Sergt. Kimball, in charge of the army station here reports 15 first enlistments and 3 re-enlistments.

VETERAN NEW YORK BANKER RETIRES

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Arthur Kavanaugh, vice president of the National City bank of New York, retired today after more than fifty years of service with the institution. Entering the bank as an office boy in 1873, Mr. Kavanaugh rose step by step to the position of vice president, serving under six different presidents.

SOUTHWORTH AGENT OF PACIFIC MILLS

LAWRENCE, Mass., Jan. 31.—Announcement was made today of the appointment of Irving Southworth as agent of the Pacific mills, to succeed Walter E. Parker, who becomes agent emeritus. Mr. Southworth has been acting agent for several years.

ENTERTAINMENT and DANCE
By The St. Peter's Cadet Football Squad
TOMORROW NIGHT
Lincoln Hall—Admission 40¢

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

PUTTING THE WALTZ ON BUSTER

NEW WORLD'S INDOOR RECORD ESTABLISHED

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—(By the Associated Press) Establishment of a new world's indoor record of 6 3-5 seconds for the 50 yard high hurdles by Karl Anderson, of the Illinois Athletic club, in capturing this event at the Milrose Track and Field carnival last night in Madison Square Garden, was announced today by A. A. U. officials after a recheck of performances.

WILL BROADCAST LECTURE

WASHINGTON, Jan 31—Ten thousand alumni of Gerge Washington university will be able to sit comfortably in their distant homes or clubs next Tuesday night and pick out of the air a lecture by President William Mathew Lewis. President Lewis arranged with the Radio Corporation of America to address the alumni from the local broadcast station as a part of the university's endowment campaign.

SPECIAL
Balance of Our $2.50 WORSTED UNION SUITS
$1.39
First quality—mixed grey color—all sizes—a remarkable garment at a very low price.

HARRISON'S
MARK DOWN SALE

SPECIAL CLEANUP
25c, 35c and 50c Geo. P. Ide and Triangle SOFT COLLARS
Some white, mostly tan—silks and cottons—broken sizes, 14 to 19½.
50c doz.

MEN'S FURNISHINGS

FRIDAY and SATURDAY—Will supercede all other days for value-giving—with our stocks a lot smaller and therefore more broken in size and pattern—We've marked them down still lower to ensure a complete cleanout—Come in and look around.

SEMI-SOFT COLLARS
Geo. P. Ide make. Seconds of 25c and 35c grade. Most all sizes..... 4 for 50¢ — 14c

65c Government Wool Hose..... 35c
Daisy Knit Guaranteed Hose.. 18c
35c Heavy Wool Hose..... 16c
$1.00 All Wool English Hose..... 59c
$1.50 Grey or Khaki Flannel Shirts.... 98c
$3.50 Silk Front Shirts $1.19
$2 Extra Strong Repp Shirts.... $1.39

A CLEANUP OF $2 and $3 MEN'S SHIRTS
Some silks, some cotton. Broken patterns..... $1.00

$8.50 All Wool Ring Neck Sweaters.... $6.48
$4.00 Light or Dark Sport Sweaters.... $2.98
$7.50 Pure Worsted Sport Sweaters... $4.95

SEMI-LINED FUR GLOVES
In grey or tan mocha: very warm. Regular $4.50..... $2.89

SCOTCH WOOL LINED GLOVES
In grey with snap wrister. Regular $3.50. $1.95

75c Knit Ties.....19¢
35c Boston Garters.....16¢
$1.00 Fabric Gloves.....55¢
50c Jazz Bows.....19¢
20c Canvas Gloves.....12¢
$2.50 Kid Gloves.....79¢
Brush Wool Scarfs.....98¢

"MUNSINGWEAR" HEAVY RIBBED UNION SUITS
Regular or stouts. Were $2.00..... $1.39

$2.00 Three Season Ribbed Union Suits $1.12
$1.50 Grey Wool Underwear 95c
$3.50 Silk Stripe One Button Union Suits.... $1.95
$4 Heavy White Wool Underwear $2.69
$3 Wool Process Union Suits.... $1.85
$1.00 Fleece Lined Underwear..... 59c

HEAVY RIBBED UNDERWEAR
Ecru color, silk trimmed, all sizes. Regular $1.00 ..... 69c

HARRISON'S
166 CENTRAL ST.

THE LOWELL NAVY CLUB

Dance by Lowell's Own Sailors in Associate Hall Tomorrow Night

Lowell's own sailors will entertain at their dance in Associate hall Friday evening as only sailors can, in a real salty navy hop. Extensive plans have been made by the various committees in charge, and by their untiring efforts nothing has been left undone to make this party one of the outstanding features of the social season.

Omer Allard, chairman of the decorating committee, has a surprise in store for all who have never had the opportunity of seeing a "battle wagon" dressed up on a gala day.

Arrangements have been made for a special musical program, one that will be in keeping with the usual navy way of entertaining, by Miner & Doyle's singing orchestra.

HORATIUS H. LEGGAT

Harold J. O'Brien, chairman of the dance committee and one who has always tried to keep the navy well represented at all military and social functions in Lowell, states that all is now in shipshape condition, tickets have been in great demand and many novel dances are in store for those who attend. He also says that he expects several officers from the first naval district to be present.

Paymaster Leggat of the club assures all dance lovers of a good time. It was through Mr. Leggat's suggestions and untiring efforts, together with a few other loyal supporters of naval ideas, that the Lowell Navy club was organized only a few months ago. All members are naval veterans and although started with only a few members, the club now stands as one of the thriving organizations in the city. Its members are handed together to perpetuate military and social functions. Up to the present time its social undertakings have proven very successful. One of the greatest achievements was the Navy Day celebration last October. It is the intention of the club, as it is the intention of all similar clubs throughout the country, to make this an annual event and to give to the people of this city a real naval celebration on this day. Plans are also underway for extensive water sports and athletic events on the Merrimack river this coming summer.

HAROLD J. O'BRIEN

The club's foremost service, however, will come on Memorial Day when the Navy club will band together to honor departed shipmates.

The officers of the dance follow: Skipper Fred Emerson, Executive Officer Francis Howard, Paymaster Harold O'Brien, Officer of the Deck Horatius H. Leggat, Junior Officer of the Deck Arthur Moran and Quartermaster Leo Robbins.

The following men have been designated as "deck hands:" James H. Casey, Rollin R. Frederick, George O. Allard, Charles M. Collins, Charles N. A. Dupont, Alphonse J. Belanger, John B. Croteau, John E. Birchall, Joseph A. Dubuque, Theodore F. Hobson, John Joyce, Edward R. Dean, Prim Turcotte, Ludger T. Ray, Arthur D. Gignere, William J. Grenor, George G. McDonagh, Albert Smith, J. J. Cassidy, Robert J. Lardner, Joseph A. Rumney, Napoleon J. Vigeant, Phillip B. Redden, Arthur Boisvert, Stephen J. Sullivan, Harold R. Herbert and Joseph Reardon.

PLAN WINTER CARNIVAL

Meeting Last Night of Committee in Charge of Proposed Event

Delegates from various organizations and schools interested in the promotion of Lowell's second annual winter carnival met last night with the carnival committee of the Ad club at the chamber of commerce rooms. Geo. H. Wood presided at the meeting and Miss Mabel Whitlock acted as secretary.

Those present were George F. Wells, chamber of commerce; Edward J. Mellen, Boy Scouts; John Shields, Y.M.C.I.; Frank MacLean, L. C. Clark and A. J. Ryan, Lowell Driving club; Miss Irene Matthews, J. Paul Doherty, Maurice Lambert and Fred Nevery, Lowell Advertising club; C. E. Towne, Y.M.C.A.; Harold Tucker, High School Winter Sports club; William Walsh, Highland Improvement association; Horace Proctor, Rotary club; Paul Sullivan, Butler school; Miss Olga Shay, Greenhalge school; Miss Nelle Horner and Miss Mary F. Carroll, Moody school; Frank O'Brien, Varnum school; Miss Sadie Melancon, Girls' City club; John McTeague, Silesia A. A.; Hector Dubois, Centralville Social club; William Crossland, Ponies; Miss Helen H. McGowan, Riverside school, and Chief Saunders, fire department.

Councilor Lambert stated arrangements have been made to provide nurses and doctors at Fort Hill park throughout the days of the carnival. Mr. Mellen, scout executive, promised his troops would turn out strong for any work that might be assigned them.

Frank MacLean reported that the Driving club had arranged a card of three snappy sleigh races. The Ponies and the High School Sports club will have a skating race between representative teams of four men each. The Motorcycle club will run a hill-climb and a football game is to be arranged between the Ponies and Princetons, this to be played on the snow for one 15-minute period.

Arthur Walden of Wonolancit, N. H., will bring down his famous dog team, led by the great Chinook, and remain for three days, Mr. Wood announced. As expected, the winter sport style show and ball at the Auditorium will be the main feature of the carnival and great interest is to centre on the selection there of a carnival king and queen. More entries than ever are expected in the style show as the rules have been changed to permit young women not in knickers yet garbed in winter sports costume, to enter. The committee is still open to suggestions from the public. Mr. Wood may be reached at his studio in the Fairburn building or Mr. Doherty reached at the A. G. Pollard store.

SUMMARY OF EARLY MORNING A. P. NEWS

Navy department orders light cruiser Omaha and six destroyers to stay at Vera Cruz until further notice.

Defiance of John L. Lewis creates disorder in United Mine Workers' convention at Indianapolis.

Mrs. Emily Newell Blair tells democratic women at Cleveland that direct responsibility for the Tea Pot Dome "scandal" rests with President Coolidge and the republican party.

Three persons are killed and eleven hurt when Buffalo-Pittsburgh express of the Pennsylvania railroad is derailed at Flag station, 22 miles south of Franklin, Pa.

Halton Siddell confesses that he killed John A. Mazzola, a fellow student at Ohio Dental college, after a dispute over a girl.

Gov. Smith reappoints William J. Muldoon as member of New York state athletic commission.

APPROPRIATION BILL

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—The house today passed its first appropriation bill, that for the interior department, after a futile attempt had been made at the last minute to direct discontinuance July 1 next of 21 land offices.

TOMORROW NIGHT
FIRST ANNUAL DANCE OF LOWELL NAVY CLUB
Miner-Doyle's Orchestra ——— Associate Hall
ADMISSION ..... 55 CENTS

KASINO
ROLLER SKATING EVERY AFTERNOON and EVENING
On Monday, Wednesday, Friday, Saturday Night, Lowell Cadet Band
Wednesday Night of This Week—Old Timers' Party with Band
ADMISSION ..... 10 CENTS

DANCE TONIGHT
Bay State Dancing School
Featuring Leo Daly's Orchestra, Playing the latest New York Dancing Music.
Ladies 40¢ ——— Checking Free ——— Gentlemen 50¢

Associate-Tonight
HERLIHY'S ORCHESTRA
Latest Dance Music—Admission 40¢
WONDER TRIP COUPONS Will Be Given to Each Person—Drawing of Lucky Number on Saturday Night.